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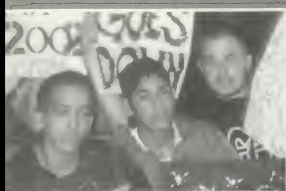


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Left: Sophomores Pedro DeJesus and Fred Barcenas, with Freshman Jimmy Belinsky at the pep rally.

Below: Fernando Ramirez was spooked out for the camera.



Below: Orlando Trizarry and Mike Ortiz are caught outside for the Cheerleaders' dance.



Left: Naziha Ibrahim and Brandi Dodd dance away at the junior high dance held by the year-book staff.



Above: Erine Cochran and Christina Orr pose for a picture after the Lip Sync.



Right: Bethany Poweska poses for a picture.



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Right: Freshmen Ashley... and Jennifer Lawkins talk and work.

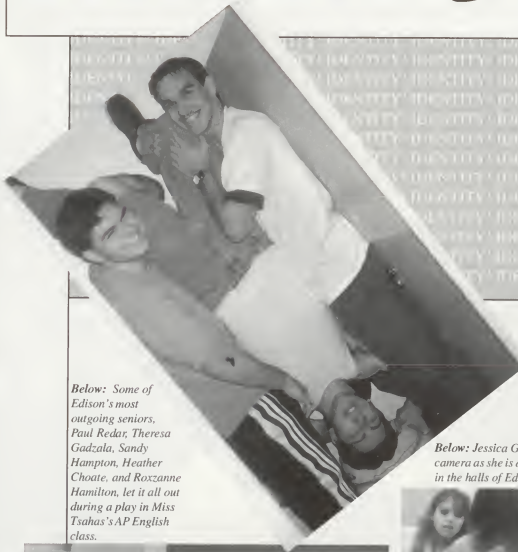


Left: The identity of Mr. Krieger but at what age?

Identity: The collective aspect of the set of characteristics by which a thing is definitively recognizable or known.

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Below: Some of Edison's most outgoing seniors, Paul Redar, Theresa Gadzala, Sandy Hampton, Heather Choate, and Roxzanne Hamilton, let it all out during a play in Miss Tsahas's AP English class.



Left: Juniors Jeff Johnson and Chris Bunnell spend a few minutes in the bathroom showing freshman Bill Cumbee who's boss.

Below: Jessica Galati (11), sends kisses to the camera as she is one of the most lovable people in the halls of Edison.





Left: Juniors Jeremy Rosenbaum and Wayne Hill practicing initiations for next year on Senior Class president Shannon Clendaniel. Below: Senior Teresa Gadzala sporting her new look in an AP English play. (Everybody needs a laugh!)



Below: Erin Geier (11), Kristi McWhirter (10), Cassie Ohmann (11), and Rachel McColly (11) cut loose on the dance floor after the first football game of the year.



Edison's very own set of SUPER FANS! This year's football team took the title of Sectional Champions and went on to regionals. These were the people that made it to just about every football game in support of our team. They hung posters, balloons, and dressed up in patriotic colors on a normal basis. Jillian Underwood even kept a sign in the back window of her car that read "SUPER FANS ON BOARD!"

Below: Top row left to right: Sarah Woynaroski (12), Shannon White (12), Trisha Santos (12), Katie Mock (11), Tatiana Hurtado (12), Jillian Underwood (12), Tara Leshner (11), and Cassie Ohmann, (11). Bottom row left to right: Wendy Branson (12), Heather Wright (12), Tara Rollo (11), Stephanie Mendez (11), Lisha Willis (12), Sandy Bolles (9).



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Life with Edison High

Right: Roxzanne Hamilton and Chris Bunnell are all smiles at the '99 Sweetheart dance. They have been a couple for over two and a half years.



Relationships are a big part of most teenager's lives. Some high school relationships turn out to be something that lasts a lifetime. Others last a matter of weeks or months. Some end in heartache and pain, yet some end for the best. But in every relationship, be it friend or more, it helps to shape a teen's life and help them figure out who they are and what their expectations are for life. Each student's life at this age is more important than most people give it credit for. What happens at this school may have a great impact on the rest of their lives. It doesn't have to, but it could, and that is definitely something to think about.

Eagles

Left: Seniors Brian Williams and Amanda Ellis have been dating since their sophomore year. It is very uncommon to see them not by each other.



Right: Top to bottom:

Freshman Bill Cumbee, Sophomore Paul "Bunge" Klimek, and Junior Jeff Johnson stack up in the bandroom to show off for the camera. These three are often found hanging out together and finding more ways to just have fun.

If you take a walk down the halls of Edison High School you'll find a huge variety of couples. There are those who are very shy, and those who are the really good dancers or musicians. You have those who are devoted to sleeping in every class, and those that are devoted to the basketball court and their love of sports. Then you have those that just don't care how they are, and possibly even more category.



FRESHMEN CLASS OFFICERS



Left to Right: Jeanette Mendez: Treasurer, Juanita Hampton: Vice-President, Tony Littell: Boys' Representative, Christina Ramos: Secretary, Shelby Wydmon: Girls' Representative, NOT PICTURED: Sandra Bolles: President



Christine Abeyta



Leslie Alanis



Jason Arseneau



Sara Ausenbaugh



Kanya Ballenger



Teo Barraza



Christopher Beck



Michelle Beliles



James Belinsky



Timothy Bey



Donald Blatz



Sandra Bolles



Candice Bottila



Joseph Boyer



Jeremy Brown



Paul Cadle



Kellie Cheek



Rachel Collins



Gregory Cook



Aaron Corley



Antonio Corral



Scott Cuebas



William Cumbee



Yvonne Datil



Nickolas Deavers



Dwayne Deckard



Dustin Donovan



Shannon Easton



Robert Engelhardt



Nathan Frazier



Meaghan Gaughan



Jermany Gonzalez



Jessica Grant



Crystal Green



Richie Gregor



Carolyn Gunter



Alexander Hall



Juanita Hampton



Daniel Harman



Jennifer Hawkins



Lisa Hawkins



Tiffany Herald



Juan Hernandez



Angela Hope



Douglas Hritz



Erik Huddleston



Cassie Hutchins



Stephen Hutton



Khannas Ibrahim



Robert Imhausen



Randi Janis



Dennis Jenkins



Andrew Johnson



Kenneth Johnson



Greta Koenig



Ashley Laas



Jessica Lemmon



Tricia Lewis



Jeremy Liles



Ryan Lindsey



Barbara Ling



Thomas Ling



Anthony Littell



Patrick Lockhart



Kelly Lowe



Christopher Marcum



Brandyn Mason



Anthony Medina



Paullette Melhorn



Jeanette Mendez



David Milam



John Monacy



Joshua Moreland



Jason Morse



Jennifer Navarro



Stephen Nelson



Timmus O'Niones



Joshua Ohmann



Javier Ortiz



Michael Pavuk



Giovanni Perez



Rocky Perez



Allison Pitman



Amanda Pitman



Matthew Pitman



Jared Pridemore



Bianca Ramirez



Monique Ramirez



Nancy Ramirez



Christina Ramos



Sarah Reed



Charles Reeves



Scott Richmond



Jessica Ricketts



Nathan Rivera



Nathaniel Rivera



Brenda Rosendaul



Luis Sanabria



Lynn Sanchez



Raquel Santiago



Denis Sharp



Jacqueline Snoder



Jessica Spencer



Juston Staples



Bethia Steerman



Trinity Sullivan



Samantha Tachik



Jennifer Taylor



Richardo Tellez



Nikolaos Tsimalis



Adam Vazquez



Adrienne Vega



Emily Vera



Timothy Vera



Nicholas Vickrey



Nick Willoughby



Brianna Wood



Lisa Woodard



Robert Woodward



Shelby Wydmon



Adrienne Yanez



Luis Zepeda



Above: This freshman English class sits and chats while they wait for the bell to ring.



Left: Jennifer Hawkins and her twin sister Lisa Hawkins are working hard in their class.



Right: This second hour World History class just got done taking their test.

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS



Top Row: Amy Woynaroski (Vice President), Andy Hurtado (President), Pam McWhirter (Class Sponsor),
Bottom Row: David Beck (Treasurer), Richelle Yarrington (Girls' Rep), Maria Suarez (Secretary).
NOT PICTURED: Jesse Short (Boys' Rep).



Robert Abeyta



Melissa Agront



Justin Alderson



Steve Alderson



Brink Armes



*Nicholas
Baimakovich*



Frederick Barcenas



Christopher Bates



David Beck



Robert Belilies



Edward Bormes



Jonathan Boyer



Jeanne Byrd



Anna Calvert



Alfredo Carrillo



Jason Carson



Heather Clapp



Richard Cook



Michelle Coons



Charles Cooper



Nicole Coundiff



Jessica Covarrubias



Gregory Cox



Victor Cox



Julie Damon



Andrew DeJesus



Pedro DeJesus



Joseph Diamond



Laura Dobre



Tonya Downen



Bridgette Drake



Norma Fierro



Tanya Flores



Michael Fulton



Jessica Gadzala



Kevin Gallegos



Melody Gann



Jennifer Garber



Jonathon Garrison



Nina Gazda



Ronald George



Michael Goodpaster



Jeremy Grant



Jason Gusic



Daniel Guzman



William Haskell



Justin Holland



Daniel Hoskins



Ryan Howell



Andres Hurtado



Holli Hutchison



Hala Ibrahim



James Janis



William Justice



Jamie Kania



Lindsay Kincaid



George Kingery



Paul Klimek



Jennifer Knotts



Jennifer Kerns



Holli Koenig



Joseph Lazur



Tonya Leshner



Michael Loving



Gabriela Loza



Justin Holland



Anthony Maldonado



Stephanie Mantta



Richard Mardis



Wesley Marshall



Ramon Martinez



Thomas McMullen



Kristi McWhirter



Cristal Miller



Amber Mitchell



Melody Music



Amy Nauta



Mark Needham



Lavon O'Connor



Shanacy O'Dell



Nicholas Olsen



Carlos Ortiz



Guadalupe Ortiz



Yvonne Ortiz



Christina Palumbo



Mark Pavuk



Tanya Perez



Michael Purcell



Jacob Ramos



Shannon Ray



Christopher Reese



Alina Rodriguez



Filiberto Sanchez



James Satana



Christina Seabolt



David Seals



Kenneth Shelton



Kelli Sherer



Jesse Short



Angela Suarez



Maria Suarez



Sky Sullivan



Andrea Szostek



Rebecca Tarnowski



Paul Toth



Alicia Travis



Mathew Troutman



Carlos Vasquez



Kamnie Warner



Timothy White



Michael Willis



Renee Wise



Amy Woynaroski



Richelle Yarrington



John Zdonek



Above: Sophomores Nina Gazda, Amber Mitchell, and Jennifer Garber are having a discussion among themselves.



Above: Sophomores Becky Tarnowski and Lindsay Kincaid show their friendship for the camera.



Above: Nick Olson stunning the crowd at the Lip Sync.



Sophomores



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Top row, left to right: Chris Bunnel; Co-Boy's Representative, Brittany Finchum; Secretary, Nicky Porras; Treasurer, Jeff Johnson; Co-Boy's Representative. Bottom row, left to right: Tara Rollo; Girl's Representative, Jackie Bolles; Vice President, Cassie Ohmann; President.



Robert Alger



Christopher Antkowiak



Irene Artemis



Bobby Arvin



Joline Banks



Shannon Beal



Jacalyn Bolles



Casey Bradley



Kelly Brannon



Richard Brayfield



Karla Broman



Christopher Bunnel



Carmille Caluag



Christopher Campbell



Julie Castillo



Matthew Cerros



Steven Claar



Heather Crawford



Angelique Cuevas



Joshua Dick



Brandi Dodd



Leonard Dooley



Paul Escoto



Patricia Fields



Dimitrius Figueroa



Brittaney Finchum



Jessica Galati



Charles Garber



Billy Garner



Erin Geier



Paul Goldsmith



Lily Gonzalez



George Grigonis



Monica Gutierrez



David Guzman



Brandon Harford



Jill Haussman



Ashley Hawkins



Jean Hawkins



Matthew Hicks



Wayne Hill



Kenneth Hite



Brandon Hursell



Naziha Ibrahim



Orlando Irizarry



Pasquale Jackson



Edward Jimenez



Jeffrey Johnson



Valerie Karpinski



Matthew King



Brandon Knight



Edward Knox



Joseph Kreider



Tara Leshner



Amy Levenduski



Troy Lewis



Marcelino Lopez



Evelia Madrigal



Christopher Majka



Edward Maldonado



Kristin Mantta



Aleasha Martinez



Rachel McColly



Hector Medina



Joshua Medows



Stephanie Mendez



Iliana Mercado



Jeremy Milbrandt



Brandon Mills



Katherine Mock



Kristina Mora



Anthony Morrison



Thomas Music



Betty Nickovich



Casandra Ohmann



Christina Orr



Michael Palumbo



Timothy Pochron



Jonathan Pomaes



Nicole Porras



Jennifer Powers



Bethany Poweska



Crystal Ramos



Gary Ray



Catherine Redar



Christopher Redar



Augie Reyes



Tara Rollo



Jeremy Rosebaun



Alexander Santana



Priscila Santiago



Angela Schwei



James Spencer



Jennifer Stearns



Asa Stone



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Chris Tsimalis



Angela Turley



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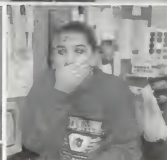


Jennifer Westerhout

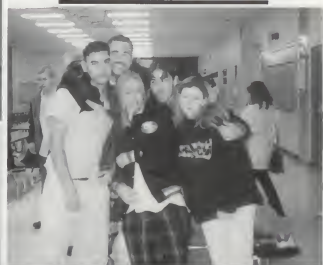


Bryan Wise





Juniors



Administration

S uperintendent's Office



Dr. Charles Costa
Superintendent



Mr. Dan DeHaven
Assistant Superintendent



Mr. Nick Georgion
Pupil Personnel Director

School Board

Front Row: Dr. Charles Costa, Larry Biggs, and Liz Redar.
Back row: Dan DeHaven, Steven Beres, Roger Fisher, and James Vanderlin.



Secretaries

Jan Bapst
Barb Stokes
Pat Nathis
Joyce Hodges
Linda Ross



High School Administration



Mr. Jeff Jones
Principal



Mrs. Nadine Brown
Assistant Principal



Mr. Chuck LoCascio
Dean



Mrs. Spanopolous
Nurse



Mrs. Gertz
Counselor



Mr. Campbell
Counselor



Mike Adamik



Dan Ayers



Michelle Bluett



Carol Carr



Jim Cosgrove



Gayle Dickinson



Mike Dobrich



Allie Doepping



Marcia Dow



Bridget Flory



Jeanne French



Jan Georgion



Gayle Green



Gary Hayes



Mike Hepp



Juan Hernandez



Rose Hoffman



Theresa Holt



Nancy Jarmula



Jeff Kincaid



Dan Koontz



Charles Krieger



Linda Llewellyn



Larry Long



Joe Loscaro



Charles Mann



Ida Marrero



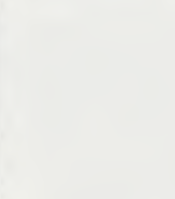
Sandy Martikean



Janet Nolan



Rita Pappas



Linda Peele



Charlene Plotner



Julie Randolph



Renee Nash



Peggy Ripperdan



Lon Soloman



James Smith



Doug Stanford



Maris Tsahas



Luke Zeheralis



Left: Mrs. Pappas and Mrs. Peele celebrating American Education week with cake.



Left: Miss Flory assists a student during seventh hour's elementary band.



Above: Mr. Hepp participates with his students during his body conditioning class.



Michelle Anderson



Pam McWhirter



Tammy Nush



Debbi Peryman



Bonnie Sykes



Above: Mrs. Anderson takes a call from the main office concerning a student's attendance record.



Eleanor Vanderlin



Above: Mrs. Vanderlin prints out another copy of the school system's bulletin.

Below: Mrs. Perryman calls Mrs. McWhirter to see if she's ready to go on break.



Edison's *BEHIND THE SCENES* Staff



Above: Bus drivers Cindy Daniels, Karen Nauta, Pat Scanlon, Loretta Sabo, Tina Mientenmeyer, Stacy Gorby, Peggy Coundiff, Jeannie Ellis, Mr. Georgion, and Fred Fazekas.



Above: Inter-School Mail Carrier Brad Snodgrass.



Above: Cafeteria personel Rosa Mora, Leedona O'Dell, Sharon Mantz, Clara Spencer, Sharon Fifer, and Stacey Loving. **Not pictured:** Patty Obermeyer, Kelly Collins, and Linda Crawford.



Above: Maintenance Jimmy Hoefflicker, Steve Rodrick, and Mark Brant.

Edison's *BEHIND THE SCENES* Staff



Above: Day Custodians John Sykes and Charlie Scanlon.



Above Night Custodians: Galen Whitledge, Katherine Morikas, Georgia Bryant, Diana Wright, Gertrude Tallent, Alice Karaginnakis, and Sherilyn Owens.



Above: Day/Night Custodian Dale Bryant



Above: Lunch Aide, Laundry Matron and Night Custodian Joyce Carr.

Right: Mrs. Vanderlin, working hard in her office, as usual.



The yearbook staff would like to thank Mrs. Vanderlin for everything she has done for us this year.

Trainers and

Statisticians

"It's fun and you get to get into basketball games for free,"
by Lora Andrews (12)

"It was so cold at most of the football games!"
by Kristina Mora (11)



Above: Statisticians Joey Boyer (9), Tony Littell (9), Nick Deavers (9), and Lora Andrews (12).



Above: Kristina Mora (11) takes football stats at one of the few very hot football games.

Right: Trainers Maria Suarez(10), Stephanie Mantta(10), and Kristin Mantta(11).



J.V. Volleyball



SCOREBOARD

| | | |
|---------|-----------------|----------|
| 8-10 | K. Valley | 15-15 |
| 13-11 | Hobart | 15-15 |
| 9-11 | Boone Grove | 15-15 |
| 10-8 | Portage | 15-15 |
| 8-9 | Whiting | 15-15 |
| 13-9 | Griffith | 15-15 |
| 12-12 | Merrillville | 15-15 |
| 7-9 | Highland | 15-15 |
| 11-10 | Hanover Central | 15-15 |
| 12-8 | Andean | 15-15 |
| 15-15 | Calumet | 9-10 |
| 6-8 | Chesterton | 15-15 |
| 11-9 | Lowell | 15-15 |
| 7-13 | Hammond Morton | 15-15 |
| 9-15-8 | Munster | 15-11-15 |
| 15-8-15 | River Forest | 11-15-7 |
| 8-15-9 | Hammond Clark | 15-13-15 |
| 6-9 | Hammond Noll | 15-15 |
| 15-9-15 | Hammond Gavit | 11-15-13 |
| 15-11-9 | North Newton | 12-15-15 |
| 15-15 | Hammond | 9-11 |



Back row: Nina Gazda, Adrienne Yanez, Stephanie Mendez, Katie Mock, Jackie Bolles, Lindsey Kincaid, Andrea Szostek, Christina Palumbo, and Coach Les Provins. Front row: Melody Music, Emily Vera, Sandy Bolles, Richelle Yarrington, Angela Suarez, and Britaney Finchum.



Team Togetherness

Mr. Woynaroski is the varsity volleyball coach. The thing he likes best about being a coach is getting the opportunity to share his knowledge about the sport with the volleyball players and see them change into better players.

"The team had some great moments of team togetherness," Mr. Woynaroski said. Coach Woynaroski said that he will miss the seniors' personalities the most because they're all different. The best game of the year was against Boone Grove. It was their first

home game and their first win. The volleyball season went fairly well according to Coach Woynaroski.

The volleyball players said the only thing that went wrong in the season was they didn't have a bus for sectionals. The athletic department forgot to arrange for a bus, so they had to take a van instead. They almost had to forfeit because they were late, but they had made it just in time. The bus came after the game to take the girls back to Edison.



Jumping up in the air during sectionals, Rebecca Tarnowski-11 spiked the ball on her North Newton opponent which earned Edison a point.

SCOREBOARD

| EHS | | OPP |
|----------|-------------------------|----------|
| 5-2 | Kankakee Valley | 15-15 |
| 8-10 | Hobart | 15-15 |
| 10-15-15 | Boone Grove | 15-15 |
| 2-8 | Wheeler | 15-15 |
| 8-12 | Portage | 15-15 |
| 16-7 | Whiting | 15-15 |
| 6-9 | Griffith | 15-15 |
| 8-3 | Merrillville | 15-15 |
| 7-10 | Highland | 15-15 |
| 7-6 | Hanover Central | 15-15 |
| 3-7 | Andrean | 15-15 |
| 15-16 | Calumet | 5-14 |
| 3-5 | Chesterton | 15-15 |
| 1-17-5 | Lowell | 15-15 |
| 3-8 | Hammond Morton | 15-15 |
| 5-12 | Munster | 15-11-15 |
| 12-11 | River Forest | 11-15-7 |
| 11-8 | Hammond Clark | 15-13-15 |
| 10-6 | South Central | 15-15 |
| 16-14-14 | River Forest | 14-16-16 |
| 15-7-7 | Washington Twp | 8-15-15 |
| 8-6 | Hammond Noll | 15-15 |
| 13-1 | Hammond Gavit | 15-15 |
| 14-14 | North Newton | 16-16 |
| 15-15 | Hammond High Sectionals | 8-12 |
| 6-9 | North Newton | 15-15 |



Front Row: Amanda Ellis, Trinidad Escoto, Tricia Santos, and Jennifer Knotts.
Back Row: Coach Bob Wynnorski, Sarah Woynaroski, Lisha Willis, Sandra Hampton, Amy Woynarski, Becky Tarnowski, Meredith Glotzbach, Casandra Ohmann, and Coach Les Provins.

Varsity Volleyball



Sarah Woynaroski-12 gets on her knees to get in a better position to bump up the ball to her teammate Jacalyn Bolles-11, while playing Boone Grove.



Jennifer Knotts-11 tries to bump up a hard spike driven down by her opponent North Newton on October 15, while at River Forest.



Casandra Ohmann-11 releases her set to her teammate Sandra Hampton-12, so she can spike the ball to her opponent Boone Grove.



Lisha Willis-12 drops to her knees to recover a dink from her North Newton opponent, during sectionals at River Forest.



Jennifer Knotts-11 dives to the floor to recover a spike from her opponent Boone Grove, which helped her team win the third set 15-4, and win the game.

RIGHT: Jennifer Hawkins-9 is running in a Cross Country Meet, in which she placed 3rd.

Cross Country

This year there were about three or four boys whose times were about equal. The best recorded time was by freshmen Tommy Ling. The best time for the season was accomplished by Tonya Downen. Coach Close would have liked to have had five girls instead of four on the team. He feels the team would probably have scored much higher. The boys registered 3 dual meet wins this year.



| Scoreboard | | |
|--------------|-----------------|-----|
| Lake Station | | Opp |
| 41 | Hebron | 18 |
| 45 | Morgan | 17 |
| Inc | Wheeler | Inc |
| 41 | Boone Grove | 19 |
| 47 | Lew Wallace | 15 |
| 49 | Hanover Central | 15 |
| 15/16 | Lowell Invite | |
| | 414 pts | |
| 27 | Clark | 30 |
| 25 | Morton | 28 |
| 50 | Gavit | 15 |
| 50 | Hobart | 15 |
| 32 | River Forest | 23 |
| 33 | Whiting | 22 |



Above: Coach Charlie Close, Alex Santana, James Santana, David Beck, Crystal Cooper, Tonya Downen, Lora Andrews, and Pat Santana
Not Pictured: Jennifer Hawkins, and Asa Stone.



Left: Jennifer Hawkins-9, Crystal Cooper-12, and Tonya Downen-10 sit and wait for the other team to arrive.

Below: Pat Santana-11 gives a 100% at a home meet.



Above: Tonya Downen-10 takes 2nd at this home meet.



Left: James Santana-10 Sprints with great strides.

Above: David Beck-10 and Asa Stone-11 try their best to get a 1st place at an Edison meet.

Cheerleading

Below: Sarah Woynarowski, Teresa Gadzala, and Wendy Branson are demonstrating their cheer for the Seniors at the pep rally.



Edison High School has a cheerleading squad every year. Most people think that being a cheerleader is so easy, but it's really not. There's so much work you have to get done. The routines are probably the hardest, but after you learn them they can be really fun. Some

students wonder if cheerleading is considered a sport. A lot of us would say no, but others would say they really don't know. They work just as hard as any other sport; they have practice every day.



Above: At the start of the Homecoming game the cheerleaders are holding the Eagle Banner, so that the football players can bust through it.



Back Row: Andy Hurtado (Lifter), Heather Wright, Cassie Ohmann, Jason Caine (Lifter). **Front Row:** Tara Leshner, Sarah Woynarowski, Teresa Gadzala, Amy Woynarowski, and Wendy Branson.



Above: Tara Leshner, Cassie Ohmann, Heather Wright, Sarah Woynarowski, Teresa Gadzala, Wendy Branson and Amy Woynarowski are really getting into their cheer.

Cheerleading

Below: Kristi McWhirter, Andrea Szostek, Shannon Easton, and Jennifer Westerhout.



Below: Joline Banks, Christopher Beck, and Jennifer Westerhout get together to take a quick picture.



Below: Cassie Ohmann and Shannon Easton are trying to keep their balance, while the other girls hold them.

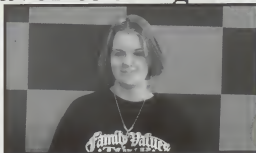


Above: At the homecoming pep rally Teresa Gadzala, Amy Woynaroski, Cassie Ohmann, Wendy Branson, Sarah Woynaroski, and Tara Leshner are showing the junior high and high school their routine they learned over the summer at cheerleading camp.

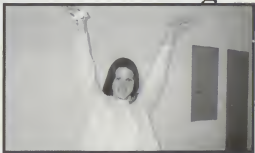
What is your favorite thing about cheerleading?



Freshman Shannon Easton: The parties afterwards.



Senior Heather Wright: Sarah Woynaroski



Junior Cassie Ohmann: Having lifters, it allows us to try more difficult stunts.

Right: John Tsahas-12 Gets the ball as Nick McWhirter comes to save him.

Varsity Football

This was the first time Edision won the sectionals since 1991. John Tsahas was our best all around player. He made first team all area in the Post-Tribune and The Times. He was also MVP and MVP defensive player. The most improved player was Mike McGinley who became a big factor by playing strong defense. The big game of the year was with North Judson for the sectional championship. Mr. Hepp believes that this was the best team to play together as a team.



| Scoreboard | | |
|--------------|--------------|----|
| Lake Station | Opponent | |
| 56 | Gary Wirt | 0 |
| 10 | Lowell | 32 |
| 10 | Calument | 8 |
| 57 | River Forest | 12 |
| 0 | Whiting | 28 |
| 27 | Ham. Clark | 13 |
| 0 | Ham. Gavitt | 14 |
| 28 | Ham. Morton | 3 |
| 6 | Ham. Noll | 26 |
| 48 | North Newton | 12 |
| 12 | John Glenn | 6 |
| 27 | North Judson | 19 |
| 6 | Rochester | 41 |



Front Row-Troy Lewis, Tom Music, Jonathon Pomales, Asa Stone, Tony Morrison, Chris Beck
 2nd Row- Robert Imhausen, Alex Santana, Robert Abeyta, Tony Maldonado, Orlando Irizarry, Matt Carros
 3rd Row- Jim Spencer, Doug Hritz, Pat Santana, Matt Swider, Brian Williams, John Palumbo, David Beck
 4th Row- Juan Hernandez, Tim Pochran, Bobby Minder, Nick McWhirter, John Tsahas, Angelo Karagiannakis, Josh Hallam, Mike McGinley,
 5th Row- Jesse Schmidt, Jason Caine, Tim Vera, Chris Majka, Ernie Cochran, Brian Johnson, Mike Willis,
 Coaches- Coach Locascio, Coach Hepp

Varsity Football

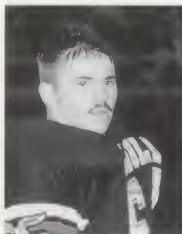


Left: Coach Hepp stands with the team and watches the game.

Bottom: Mike McGinley gets a drink of water during the game.



Up: John Tsahas- 12 calls a time out for the team.



Left: Brian Williams -12 walks away from the game happy.

Left: Coach Hepp and Mike Palumbo talk about a play during the game.



Gary Ray
"My favorite part of tennis was towards the end of the season when Brad and I were on a team together. He would serve and when it was returned, I would send it back smashin' the other team in the face."

-Gary Ray (11)

This year's tennis team consisted of mostly juniors. This means that if they stick with it for next year, there will hopefully be a lot of senior leadership and experience on the team.

The eagles put up great fights this season. Their final record was 5 wins, 7 losses, 2 rainouts, and 1 tie.

The tennis team also played in their first Lake Athletic Conference this year. Their record there was 5 wins, 6 losses, and 2 rainouts.

The eagles also found themselves playing sectionals on their rivals' court. They finished at River Forest with 0 wins and 1 loss.

Those that received awards at the end of the year were Gary Ray MVP, Chris Bunnell Most Improved, and Jason Carson won the coaches' award for courage.



Juniors Jeremy Rosnbaum, Gary Ray, and Chris Campbell laugh as Brad Snodgrass gave his speech at the pep rally referring to their team member Jason Carson as "Squeaks", an inside joke with the team.



Junior Chris Bunnell gets ready for a serve against Edison's rival school River Forest.

Tennis 1999

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Above: Sophomore Jason Carson gets ready to take on yet another tennis match.

Juniors
 Jeremy
 Rosenbaum
 and Chris
 Campbell,
 number two
 doubles
 team,
 contemplate
 their next
 move.





Brad Snodgrass
TEAM CAPTAIN

"My favorite part of tennis was the dominant net play of myself and Gary when we played number one doubles."

-Brad
Snodgrass(12)

Left to right: Gary Ray (11), Brad Snodgrass (12), Chris Bunnell (11), Coach Vondrak, Jason Carson (10), Chris Campbell (11), and Jeremy Rosenbaum (11)

Scoreboard

| | EHS | OPP |
|----------------|----------------|---------|
| Hammond Mort. | 3 | 1 |
| Lowell | 0 | 5 |
| Hammond Noll | 2 | 3 |
| Hammond Gavit | 3 | 2 |
| Gary Roosevelt | rainout | |
| Hobart | 2 | 3 |
| Hammond High | 2 | tie 2 |
| Hammond Clark | win by forfeit | |
| Andrean | 0 | 5 |
| Hammond Mort. | 2 | conf. 3 |
| Gavit | 0 | 5 |
| Hammond High | 3 | 2 |
| Hammond Noll | 3 | 2 |
| River Forest | 0 | 5 |
| Calumet | 0 | 5 |
| E.C. Central | rainout | |
| River Forest | 1 | sect. 4 |



Junior Chris Campbell reaches high to make his serve.

The entire Junior Varsity team is shown riding on the fire truck during the Home-Coming Parade.

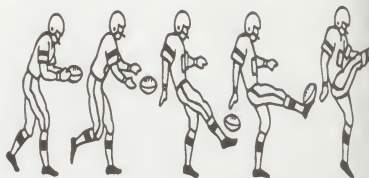
Junior Varsity Football

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The Line Up

| Name | No. | Grade | Awards |
|------------------|-----|-------|------------------|
| Matt Cerros | 22 | 11 | JV Certificate |
| Jim Spencer | 24 | 11 | JV Certificate |
| David Beck | 25 | 10 | JV Certificate |
| Jonathan Pomaes | 32 | 11 | JV Certificate |
| Andy Hurtado | 42 | 10 | JV Certificate |
| Tony Maldonado | 45 | 19 | JV Certificate |
| Orlando Irizarry | 46 | 11 | Numerals & Patch |
| Chris Beck | 48 | 9 | Numerals & Patch |
| Chris Majka | 66 | 11 | JV Certificate |
| Tom Ling | 72 | 9 | JV Certificate |
| Robert Abeyta | 75 | 10 | JV Certificate |
| Asa Stone | 80 | 11 | JV Certificate |
| Alex Santana | 92 | 11 | JV Certificate |
| Robert Imhaussen | 94 | 9 | Numerals & Patch |
| Tim Pochran | 96 | 11 | JV Certificate |
| John Zdonek | 10 | | Numerals & Patch |

Coach: Sean Camp



Scoreboard 3 Losses, 2 Ties

| LS | | Opp |
|----|---------|-----|
| 6 | Lowell | 30 |
| 8 | Calumet | 8 |
| 10 | Morton | 10 |
| 0 | Noll | 42 |
| 8 | Whiting | 10 |

"C" Team

Basketball

Left: Josh Ohmann (9) is hot on his feet after the ball.

Right: Kenny Hite jumps to put up a lay-up.



Above: #15 Tony Corral (9), #21 Josh Ohmann (9), Khannas Ibrahim (9) behind opposing team's #21, #30 Kevin Gellegos (10), and #12 Luis Zepeda (9) rush so hard in the game that they run right into the wall.

Scoreboard

| EHS | | Opp |
|-----|----------------|-----|
| 41 | River Forest | 36 |
| 27 | Whiting | 19 |
| 25 | Griffith | 46 |
| 14 | Hobart | 32 |
| 32 | Lowell | 21 |
| 38 | Hammond Morton | 36 |
| 16 | Munster | 38 |
| 31 | Hammond Clark | 41 |
| 27 | Bishop Noll | 26 |

Right: Sandy Bolles faces opposition from Nina Gazda on a shot during practice.

Our Lady Eagles

JV GIRLS' BASKETBALL



Left: Nina Gazda, Christina Palumbo, Jenny Garger, and Jennifer Hawkins work two on two during practice.



| Scoreboard | | |
|------------|----------------|-----|
| EHS | | Opp |
| 27 | Hammond Gavit | 33 |
| 15 | River Forest | 29 |
| 26 | Hammond High | 27 |
| 24 | Chesterton | 49 |
| 19 | Whiting | 32 |
| 18 | Griffith | 46 |
| 19 | Highland | 35 |
| 15 | Hammond Morton | 18 |
| 27 | Boone Grove | 30 |
| 17 | Andean | 41 |
| 18 | Portage | 49 |
| 25 | Calumet | 17 |
| 08 | Lowell | 39 |
| 14 | North Newton | 31 |
| 13 | Munster | 51 |
| 15 | Bishop Noll | 33 |
| 21 | Wheeler | 38 |
| 43 | Hammond Clark | 18 |



Back Row: Jenny Garber, Nina Gazda, Christina Palumbo, Stephanie Manta, Melody Music, Christina Abeyta, Sandy Bolles and Coach Gazda. Front Row: Amber Mitchell, Jennifer Hawkins, and Maria Suarez.



On the Left: Kenny Hite struggles to keep possession of the ball.

JV BOYS' BASKETBALL

Right:
Coach
Johnson
sketches
a play
during a
minute
timeout.



Back Row: Coach Johnson, Jason Carson, Rich Mardis, Chris Bunnell, Matt Cerros, Kevin Gallegos, Khannas Ibrahim, Coach Ringer. Front Row: Luis Zepeda, Josh Ohmann, Fred Barcenas, Juan Hernandez, Tony Corral (Not Pictured-Robert Imhausen, and Chris Campbell)

Scoreboard

| EHS | | Opp |
|-----|----------------|-----|
| 18 | Whiting | 29 |
| 58 | Morgan TWP | 35 |
| 29 | Hobart | 31 |
| 22 | Griffith | 50 |
| 30 | River Forest | 50 |
| 10 | Highland | 61 |
| 19 | Wheeler | 47 |
| 10 | Portage | 53 |
| 23 | Andrean | 64 |
| 26 | M.C. Marquette | 47 |
| 32 | Calumet | 49 |
| 26 | Lowell | 45 |
| 23 | Hammond Morton | 59 |
| 31 | North Newton | 36 |
| 30 | Munster | 59 |
| 20 | Hammond Clark | 26 |
| 26 | Bishop Noll | 63 |
| 27 | Hammond Gavitt | 68 |
| 20 | Chesterton | 60 |
| 20 | Hammond High | 76 |

Varsity Basketball

About the Girls

This year's girls' varsity basketball team didn't do so well on the score board, but they tried their hardest. They had a good time this year during their practices and games. The team is upset about the loss of their coach and will never forget the good times that they shared together. The team will miss their senior team members such as Amanda Ellis, "Most Improved" player; Erica Stevens, "All-Conf. Honorable Mention", "MVP", "All-Conf. Academic Team"; Crystal Cooper "MVP", All-Conf. Academic Team; and Roxzanne Hamilton "All-Conf. Academic Team."

It's one happy basketball family, as the team gets together for a group picture of Coach Haas' last team.



SCOREBOARD

| EHS | OPP |
|-------------------|-----|
| 27 Hammond Gavit | 33 |
| 15 River Forest | 29 |
| 26 Hammond High | 27 |
| 24 Chesterton | 49 |
| 19 Whiting | 32 |
| 18 Griffith | 46 |
| 19 Highland | 35 |
| 15 Hammond Morton | 18 |
| 27 Boone Grove | 30 |
| 17 Andean | 47 |
| 18 Portage | 49 |
| 25 Calumet | 17 |
| 8 Lowell | 39 |
| 14 North Newton | 31 |
| 13 Munster | 51 |
| 15 Bishop Noll | 33 |
| 21 Wheeler | 38 |
| 43 Hammond Clark | 18 |



Back row: Richelle Yarrington, Ashley Hawkins, Roxzanne Hamilton, Becky Tarnowski, Jackie Bolles, Katie Mock, Coach Haas. Front row: Amanda Ellis, Erica Stevens, Crystal Cooper, Britaney Finchum.

Girls' Varsity Basketball



Jackie Bolles, Amanda Ellis, and Richelle Yarrington are caught relaxing before a game on our gym's bleachers.



Katie Mock, after a hard day of basketball, looks like she was playing pretty hard.



Saying goodbye is hard to do, as Coach Haas walks into the boys' locker room. John Tsahas smiles, but at the same time is sad to see him go.



Seniors Amanda Ellis, Crystal Cooper, Roxanne Hamilton, and Erica Stevens are being recognized on the high school gym wall.



Two good friends, Ashley Hawkins and Amanda Ellis are just lounging around before a game.

Varsity Basketball

Shiplov's final words

Coach Shiplov, this year's Varsity Basketball coach, says that the most favorite and memorable time this year was when they got to go to the Sectional Championship. He says this year's team was young and he only had three people with varsity experience. Although he doesn't want to leave good-old-Edison, he is excited about having the chance to coach college basketball. When asked if he feels that he reached his goals at Edison, he said, "You should always strive to be your best. In order to do that, you must invest quality time and effort in the pursuits of the goal."



The team guards their territory as Clark tries to score against them. Pictured here is Mike Palumbo, Chris Bunnel, John Tsahas, and Gary Ray.

| Scoreboard | | |
|------------|-----------------|-----|
| We | | Opp |
| 40 | Whiting | 44 |
| 42 | Morgan Township | 67 |
| 43 | Hobart | 49 |
| 53 | Griffith | 76 |
| 69 | River Forrest | 67 |
| 37 | Highland | 45 |
| 52 | Wheeler | 61 |
| 29 | Portage | 61 |
| 26 | Andean | 58 |
| 43 | M.C.Marquette | 41 |
| 48 | Calumet | 50 |
| 38 | Lowell | 61 |
| 43 | Hammond Morton | 50 |
| 42 | North Newton | 44 |
| 64 | Munster | 62 |
| 37 | Hammond Clark | 39 |
| 45 | Bishop Noll | 69 |
| 32 | Hammond Gavitt | 50 |
| 34 | Chesterton | 44 |
| 44 | Hammond High | 72 |
| 47 | Hanover Central | 46 |
| | Sectional | |
| 41 | Boone Grove | 60 |
| | Sectional | |



Back row: Coach Ringger, Coach Johnson, Jonathan Hursell, John Tsahas, Chris Majka, Mike Palumbo, Brad Snodgrass, Chris Bunnel, Tim Bey, Mgr., Coach Shiplov. Front: Rich Mardis, Tom Music, Gary Ray, Matt Cerros, and Chris Campbell.

Varsity Basketball



Isn't that cute! One big happy family, as the varsity team gets their heads together before the game.



Jonathan (Air) Hursell goes for a dunk during a game against Clark.



John Tsahas goes for a shot against the opposing team.



A team photo during a time-out in the game.



During the "jump ball" Chris Majka tries to hit it towards a team member.

Wrestling

This year's wrestling team was very inexperienced compared to teams of years past. Realizing this we focused on trying to peak at conference and sectional time. Many of our younger wrestlers stuck with it and did not give up our team goal. This was very rough on them because most of them were losing tough matches to tough opponents by low scores. By conference time we were able to score more points in the individual tourney than was earlier expected. In the team tourney we placed sixth, this was a vast improvement over teams that had beaten up on us in the regular season. After sectionals we sent five guys to the regionals. Among those five guys, Brian Williams took home the title for the second time in his career. We owe Brian alot for his leadership and citizenship.



Scoreboard

| Lake Station | Opponent |
|--------------|--------------------|
| 54 | Hammond 24 |
| 57 | Griffith 24 |
| 21 | East Chicago 57 |
| 24 | Calumet 58 |
| 36 | Southmont 47 |
| 54 | Hammond High 30 |
| 51 | Griffith 29 |
| 52 | S.B Riley 26 |
| 16 | Munster 58 |
| 16 | Highland 66 |
| 5 | Lowell 66 |
| 12 | Chesterton 57 |
| 10 | Portage 67 |
| 48 | West Side 34 |
| 57 | River Forest 22 |
| 40 | Kankakee Valley 33 |



Back Row: Coach Dan Mora, Jonathon Pomaes, Robert Abeyta, Robert Minder, Mathew Swider, Brian Johnson, Troy Lewis, Patrick Santana, Lino Jackson, Jimmy Spencer, Anthony Maldonado, and Coach LoCascio. Front Row: Brian Williams, Ramon Martinez, David Beck, Tommy Ling, Asa Stone, Dimitrius Figueroa, and Alex Santana.

Junior Varsity Wrestling



Back Row: Coach Dan Mora, Jimmy Spencer, Robert Abeyta, Paul Toth, Tony Maldonado, Hector Medina, Alex Santra, and Coach LoCascio. **Front Row:** Ramon Martinez, Chris Beck, Tommy Ling, and James Santana.



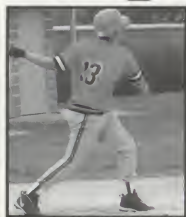
Above: The boys practice hard by running through the empty halls after school hours.

Left: Wrestlers work hard not only on the mats, but practices are just as grueling.





Sports Collage



Baseball

1 WIN 14 LOSSES 1 TIE

| EHS | OPP |
|-------------------|-----|
| 1 Portage | 12 |
| 5 Hobart | 8 |
| 0 Valparaiso | 26 |
| 5 Valparaiso | 16 |
| 7 River Forest | 4 |
| 1 Griffith | 13 |
| 6 Calumet | 14 |
| 14 Hammond Morton | 14 |
| 1 Munster | 14 |
| 1 East Chicago | 8 |
| 0 Hammond Clark | 10 |
| 0 Hammond Noll | 14 |
| 2 Gavit | 5 |
| 0 Andrean | 25 |
| 8 Hanover Central | 10 |
| 4 Wheeler | 14 |

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Above: Top row: Jason Carson (10), Kevin Gallegos (10), Kenny Johnson (9), Justin Holland (10), Juan Hernandez (9), Chris Marcum (9), Josh Ohmann (9), and Coach Johnson. Bottom row: Tony Corral (9), Mike Pavuk (9), Chris Beck (9), Tony Littell (9), and Bill Cumbee (9).



Above: Sophomore Justin Holland swings hard at a game that was lost, but not without putting up a hard fight on our own field.



Above: The team gathers for a huddle on the mound to pump up and get a strategy going to win.



Left: Kevin Johnson throws a hard pitch in a long game and it is called a strike.

SOFTBALL



Back row: Coach Mora, Amanda Ellis, Angela Hope, Norma Fierro, Stephanie Mantta, Brenda Rosendaul, Cassie Ohmann, Ashley Hawkins, Coach Biggs, and Coach Finchum. First row: Sandy Bolles, Brittaney Finchum, Kristin Mantta, Crystal Cooper, Amber Mitchell, Lupe Ortiz, and Jennifer Hawkins.

Ashley Hawkins - MVP - Offense

Amanda Ellis - No hitter against Hammond High

SCOREBOARD

| EHS | | OPP |
|-----|------------------|-----|
| 3 | Whiting | 12 |
| 0 | Griffith | 10 |
| 1 | Highland | 4 |
| 3 | River Forest | 4 |
| 0 | Andean | 11 |
| 17 | Calumet | 6 |
| 0 | Lowell | 15 |
| 2 | Gavit | 11 |
| 1 | Bishop Noll | 12 |
| 0 | Mishawaka Marian | 10 |
| 16 | Washington Twp | 12 |
| 6 | Hammond Morton | 12 |
| 0 | Munster | 11 |
| 2 | Clark | 12 |
| 8 | Bishop Noll | 4 |
| 3 | Gavit | 15 |
| 10 | Hammond High | 0 |
| 2 | Morton | 3 |
| | Non-Conf | |
| 3 | Gavit | 4 |
| | Sectional | |



Norma Fierro steps up to bat against Calumet.



Jennifer Hawkins (Little Hawk) is playing in the dirt before she gets ready to bat.



Amanda Ellis strikes out and gets ready for her second chance to make a homerun.

SOFTBALL



Sandy Boiles, the team's new freshman pitcher was working hard to warm up before she started throwing her "Great Balls of Fire."



Brittaney Finchum steps up to bat while Kristin Mantta waits patiently to steal home.



Ashley Hawkins persuades the photographer to capture the team on the bench during the game against Calumet at River View Park in Lake Station. Shown here going down the bench: Ashley Hawkins, Amanda Ellis, Crystal Cooper, Cassie Ohmann, and Brittaney Finchum.

Golf

Scoreboard

| | EHS | OPP |
|----------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| Whiting | 263 | 207 |
| Griffith | 301 | 179 |
| Highland | 262 | 168 |
| Hobart/River Forest | 236 | 149/215 |
| River Forest/K. Valley | 231 | 228/169 |
| Andrean/Whiting | 256 | 164/214 |
| Horace Mann | 219 | 227 |
| Morton/Calumet | 236 | 175/206 |
| Lowell | 246 | 169 |
| North Newton | 236 | 192 |
| Hammond Noll | 246 | 185 |
| Clark | 236 | 207 |
| Munster | 227 | 156 |
| Hammond | 264 | 197 |
| River Forest | 259 | 244 |
| Gavit | 224 | 194 |
| LAC Tournament - 12th Place | | 230 |
| Boone Grove Tourney - Last Place | | 236 |

V A R S I T Y



Above: Josh Moreland is on the practicing green at Cressmore.



From the Left: Coach Green, Brian Williams, Bobby Minder, Robert Imhausen, Lino Jackson, Wayne Hill, Paul Klimek, Josh Moreland, Joe Boyer, and Nick Deavers.



Above: Joe Boyer is making his putt before a game.



Below: Brian Williams is practicing a putt before a game.



Joe Loscaro

Mr. Loscaro was a good coach and picked a great team, but everyone he chose did not sign up. His tragic death led players to believe that there was not going to be a golf team. Miss Green took over the team, and the season didn't go well. However she is looking forward to next year; with a young team we hope to have a better season.



Above: Josh Moreland and Joe Boyer pose for a picture before leaving the school for a game at Cressmore.

Varsity Baseball

Salomon's Word

The wise old Mr. Salomon says that the most important element, if you expect to be successful, is "teamwork". He also believes that it was important this year to work on the fundamentals with the pitchers. He is very proud of his team and says that they have improved a lot throughout the season.

SCOREBOARD

| EHS | OPP |
|-----|-----------------------|
| 2 | Washington Twp. 17 |
| 1 | Kankakee Valley 11 |
| 2 | Portage 7 |
| 5 | Hobart 16 |
| 6 | Whiting 3 |
| 1 | Griffith 17 |
| 2 | Highland 13 |
| 2 | Andrean 9 |
| 6 | River Forest 4 |
| 0 | Calumet 11 |
| 0 | Lowell 3 |
| 5 | Hammond Morton 1 |
| 0 | Munster 12 |
| 2 | Hammond Clark 5 |
| 3 | Hammond Noll 13 |
| 4 | Hammond Gavit 14 |
| 8 | Marquette 10 |
| 4 | Hammond High 5 |
| 2 | Boone Grove 7 |
| 9 | Wheeler 8 |
| 3 | Hammond High (trny) 9 |
| 3 | Whiting (trny) 6 |



Back row: Paul Redar, Gary Ray, Brad Snodgrass, Nick Roper, John Tsahas, Jeremy Milbrandt, John Palumbo, and Coach Salomon. First row: John Hursell, Tim Pochron, Tony Morrison, Josh Holland, Mike McGinley, and David Guzman.



To the Left: There is one of our Eagles getting ready to mash that ball out of the park. If you look real close you can see the ball! Isn't that neat!



To the Right: John Palumbo is getting ready to strike out someone that is up to bat. With his teammates behind him there is no stopping the "Mighty Eagles".

Varsity Baseball



To the Left: Gary Ray slides into home with plenty of time to spare. They need a pitcher not a belly fitcher.



Tim Pochron and John Palumbo stand around to pose for a picture while the rest of the team gets ready on the field.



Timmy Pochron shows off his uniform for the photographer, while his teammates wait for him on the field.



Tony Morrison gets ready to bat, while his good friend Jeremy Milbrandt stands behind him and gives him some support.

Edison's 3200 M Relay team set a new school record this year at 9:29 on May 11, 1999. The team members were Alex Santana (11), James Santana (10), Luis Zepeda (9), and Tommy Ling (9).

track



Chris Bunnell

Bunnell received an outstanding hurdler award this year. He is not pictured hurdling because his great speed caused all the pictures to be blurry.

VARSITY



Above: David Beck hits it hard on his practice take-off attempts in preparation for the high hurdles race.

Below: Sophomore David Beck leaps to win in high-hurdles at sectionals held at Portage High School.



Right: The team, along with some of the girls' track members, enjoy a noisy bus ride home after another long hard competition.





Above: Top row: Coach Santana, Pat Santana (12), Jeff Johnson (11), Chris Bunnell (11), Tom Music (11), David Beck (10) Robert Abeyta (10), Brian Burke (9), Andy Hurtado (10), and Coach Hernandez. Bottom row: Alex Santana (11), Tommy Ling (9), Luis Zepeda (9), James Santana (9), and Nathan Rivera (9).



Pat Santana

TEAM CAPTAIN

Santana received an award from Coach Hernandez for the positive attitude he kept throughout the season.

Scoreboard

| EHS | | OPP |
|-----|-----------------|------|
| 27 | Wheeler | 11 |
| 27 | M.C. Marquette | 53 |
| 27 | S. Central | 37 |
| 23 | Morgan Township | 100 |
| 32 | Hammond | 47 |
| 32 | Griffith | 77 |
| 21 | River Forest | 40 |
| 21 | Hanover Central | 95 |
| 21 | Gavit | 77.5 |
| 21 | Lowell | 68.5 |
| 13 | Kankakee Valley | 91 |
| 13 | N Judson | 52 |
| | Kouts Invite | |
| | Highland Conf. | |
| | Portage Sect. | |

T O M M U S I C M V P



Above: Juniors Chris Bunnell and Jeff Johnson get together before a race to get their adrenaline pumping .

Scoreboard

| EHS | | OPP |
|-------|---------------------------|--------|
| 33 | Wheeler | 94 |
| 33 | S. Central | 43 |
| 33 | Mich. City Marquette | 55 |
| 33 | Morgan Twp. | 91 |
| 44 | Griffith | 91 |
| 44 | Hammond | 14 |
| 28.5 | River Forest | 23 |
| 28.5 | Hanover Central | 90.5 |
| RO | Andean | RO |
| RO | Clark | RO |
| 31 | Lowell | 71 |
| 31 | Gavit | 51 |
| RO | Munster | RO |
| RO | Morton | RO |
| 16.5 | K.V. | 90 |
| 16.5 | N. Judson | 49.5 |
| 28pts | Kouts Invite | 7th pl |
| 12pts | Calumet relays | 8th pl |
| 18pts | Conference - tied for 9th | |
| 10pts | Sectionals-Portage | |
| 6pts | Regionals-Highland | |

track

V A R S I T Y

Below: Senior Sarah Woynaroski smiles because of her teammates' cheers from the sidelines. She is pictured here running at a sectional meet.



"Track's always

fun! We were

pretty goofy."

by Jackie Bolles



Above: Sophomore Tanya Downen flashes her smile to the crowd after taking a practice take off.

Right:
Roxzanne
Hamilton (12)
gives it her
all in throw-
ing the shot-
put at
sectionals
held at
Portage High
School.





Katie Mock

Katie was a member of the **"SUPER SEVEN"** this year. The Lady Eagles beat our rival school River Forest with a team of only seven girls.



Above: Erica Stevens (12) laying bandaged on the bag, Roxzanne Hamilton (12) holding the discus, Amy Woynaroski (10) falling over the hurdle, Tanya Downen (10) resting on the ground, Jackie Bolles (11) holding her cousin Becky Tarnowski's foot ready to boost her over the high-jump bar (as if she needed help!), Sarah Woynaroski (12) and Katie Mock (11) each giving a thumbs-up as they jog by, and Coach Schmelzer blowing the whistle for their take off.



Above: Cousins Jackie Bolles (11) and Becky Tarnowski (10) discuss the meet while waiting for their events to start by the high-jump site.

tennis

Below: Sophomore Lindsay Kindaid takes a little break before a match at the sectionals match held at Edison's court.



Shannon Ray

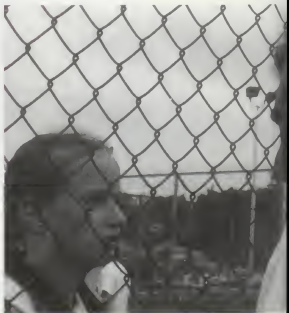
"Tennis is a very challenging sport and it makes me work hard. I think we had a great team this year."

V A R S I T Y



Above: Senior Wendy Branson swings hard to return a serve.

Right: Meredith Glotzbach runs to the fence to catch some quick advice from Coach Hayes.





Above: Top row: Adrienne Yanez (9), Meredith Glotzbach (12), Richelle Yarrington (10), Lindsay Kincaid (10), Lora Andrews (12), Heather Choate (12), Melody Music (10), and Coach Hayes. Bottom row: Jennifer Knotts (10), Shannon Ray (10), and Wendy Branson (12).



Heather Choate
TEAM
CO-CAPTAIN

"Tennis makes you work hard. It helps to have a coach that pushes you to do your best."

Scoreboard

| EHS | | OPP |
|---------|----------------|-----|
| 5 | Wheeler | 0 |
| 4 | Hammond Gavit | 1 |
| 3 | Andrean | 2 |
| 4 | Griffith | 1 |
| 1 | River Forest | 4 |
| 5 | Hammond Morton | 0 |
| 3 | Hobart | 2 |
| 5 | Hammond High | 0 |
| 1 | Munster | 4 |
| 5 | Hammond Clark | 0 |
| 2 | Hammond Noll | 3 |
| 5 | Boone Grove | 0 |
| 3 | Highland | 2 |
| 5 Conf. | Whiting | 0 |
| 1 Conf. | Andrean | 4 |
| 2 Conf. | Lowell | 3 |
| 5 Sect. | Wheeler | 0 |
| 5 Sect. | Horace Mann | 0 |
| 1 Sect. | River Forest | 3 |



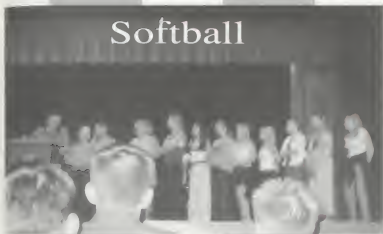
Above: Senior Lora Andrews prepares herself for the upcoming serve that will be coming at her.

Sports Collage



Sports *Awards*

Softball



Varsity Baseball



Tennis



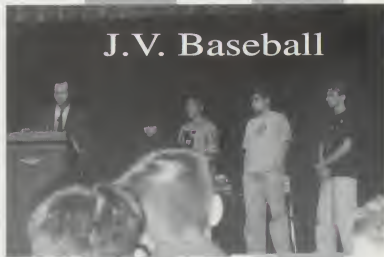
Girls' Track



Boys' Track



J.V. Baseball





Super Bowl



Top Row: Paul Redar, Jessica Galati, Betty Nickovich, Irene Artemis, Jesse Schmidt. **Middle Row:** Carmille Caluag, Lora Andrews, Wendy Branson, Brittaney Finchum, Maria Tsahas, **Bottom Row:** Sarah Woynaroski, Roxzanne Hamilton, Kristin Mantta, Heather Choate, Teresa Gadzala, and Shannon Clendaniel. **Not Pictured:** Matt Froutman, Tiffany Owens, Rachel Lawson, Angelo Karagiannakis, Tatiana Hurtado, and Tonya Downen.

Spell Bowl



Top Row: Jessica Galati, Betty Nickovich, Irene Artemis, Katie Redar. **Middle Row:** Carmille Caluag, Lora Andrews, Wendy Branson, Brittaney Finchum, Maria Tsahas, **Bottom Row:** Angelo Karagiannakis, Nick Roper, Kristin Mantta, Heather Choate, Teresa Gadzala, and Shannon Clendaniel.

A S S I S T A N T S

“Thanx for all the hard work and stuff you did.”

Mrs. Perryman



First row: Mrs. Perryman, Bethany. Second row: Katie Redar, Mike Vckov, Tim Pochron, Sarah Woyonoski, and Brad Snodgrass. Third row: Tim White, Kenny Hite, Chris Bunnel, and Nick McWhirter.

“Thank you for all your help.”

Mrs. Nush

“Thank you for your help.”

Mrs. Anderson



First row: Chris Majka, Mrs. Anderson. Second row: Nick Wiloughby, Joline Banks, Jessica Gadzala, Bill Haskell, Jennifer Sterns, and Tim Pochron.



Front row: Nick Deavers, Lisa Seals, Sara Ausenbaugh, Melissa Agront, Erica Castillo, Amy Nauta, Jessica Grant, and Josh Meadows. Back row: Jon Pomales, Jesse Short, Steven Ralston, Bobby Ebgehart, and Ken Johnson.

ASSISTANTS



Back row: Iliana Mercado, Jennifer Kerns, Shannon Easton, Kanya Bauenger, Michelle Corral, Meredith Glotzbach, John Palumbo, Chris Bunnell, Tony Littel, Patrick Santana, and Ryan Lindsey. Middle row: Jamie Rieck, Tanya Moore, Shannon Ray, Richelle Yarrington, Lisa Hawkins, Joel Ciceves, Natalie McColly, Tiffany Owens, Kristina Purcell, and Paul Goldsmith. Front row: Brian Johnson, Tony Elliot, Paul Redar, Wendy Branson, Shannon Clendaniel, Tatiana Hurtado, Brian Williams, Nick Roper, and Karla Broman.

Have a Great Summer and Good Luck Seniors!

From all the Teachers



Seniors: Valerie Arnn, Heather Choate, Shannon Clendaniel, Justin Click, Teresa Gadzala, Jerry Hamilton, Sandy Hampton, Tatiana Hurtado, Brian Johnson, Natalie McColly, Michael McGinley, Angie Monsivais, Tiffany Owens, Valerie Pomaes, Jesse Schmidt, Jillian Underwood, Sarah Woynaroski, and Heather Wright. **Juniors:** Irene Artemis, Jackie Bolles, Charles Garber, Erin Geier, Brandon Harford, Wayne Hill, Ed Jiminez, Jeff Johnson, Kristin Mantta, Rachel McColly, Betty Nickovich, Nicole Porras, Jeremy Rosenbaum, Danielle Underwood, and Jennifer Westerhout. **Sophomores:** David Beck, John Boyer, Nicole Coundiff, Norma Fierro, Jennifer Garb, Daniel Guzman, Andy Hurtado, Lindsay Kincaid, Paul Kliniek, Stephanie Mantta, Kristi McWhirter, Amber Mitchell, Shannon Ray, Maria Suarez, Becky Tarnowski, and Amy Woynaroski. **Freshmen:** Sandy Bolles, Joe Boyer, Rachel Collins, Aaron Corley, Bill Cumbeer, Cassie Hutchins, Andrew Johnson, Greta Koenig, Bianca Ramirez, Moique Ramirez, Nancy Ramirez, Nathan Rivera, Brenda Rosendaul, Raquel Santiago, Jackie Snoder, Lisa Woodard, and Adrienne Yanez.

Edison Senior H

Under the direction of Mr. Charles Mann and Miss Bridget Flory

BAND OFFICERS



Drum Major: Lindsay Kincaid (10)
President: Shannon Clendaniel (12)
Vice President: Heather Wright (12)
Secretary/Treasurer: Valerie Arnn (Not pictured)
Manager: Theresa Gadzala (Not pictured)

80 Band

Below: Wayne Hill (11), Bill Cumbeer (9), and Jeff Johnson (11) at this year's pep band party. They were performing a dance they made up that day at Mr. Mann's house that included flips, jumps, and shown below is their finale.



PEP BAND

Right: Back row: Roxzanne Hamilton, Lindsay Kincaid, Becky Tarnowski, Nicole Porras, Jeff Johnson, Rachel McColly, Wayne Hill, Valerie Ann, Paul Klimek, and Brandon Harford. Middle row: Shannon Clendaniel and Brian Johnson. Front row: Sandy Hampton, Heather Choate, and Tiffany Owens.



gh School Band

BAND INTERNS AND ASSISTANTS

Left: Top row: Jeff Johnson (11), Brandon Harford (11), and Brian Johnson (12). Front row: Roxzanne Hamilton (12) and Shannon Clendaniel (12).



Above: While in Indianapolis, at the state solo and ensemble trip, Lindsay Kincaid eats Buca di Beppo's famous "Big" meatball... with no utensils.

E H S



Above: Amber Mitchell (10), Jenny Garber (10), Brunda Rosendaal (9), and Nicky Pomas, co-captain (11). Not Pictured: Kristi McWhirter (10), Becky Tarnowski (10), and Kristin Manha, co-captain (11).

FLAG CORPS



Above: Kristi McWhirter can't refrain from laughing while waiting for the halftime show to begin.



Left: Sophomores Jenny Garber, Becky Tarnowski, and Amber Mitchell enjoy the rest of the homecoming pep rally after performing the school song and their routine to California Sun.

Right: Top row: Tara Leshner (11), Tara Rollo (11), Kristi McWhirter (10), Cassie Ohmann (11), Paul Klimek (10), Chris Bunnell (11), Mike Palumbo (11), Marcelino Lopez (11), Chuck Cooper (10), Tanya Moore (12), Valerie Arnn (12), Heather Wright (12), and Sarah Woynaroski (12). Middle row: Christina Palumbo (10), Lindsay Kincaid (10), Roxzanne Hamilton (12), Augie Reyes (11), Josh Moreland (9), Trinidad Escoto (12), Lliana Mercado (11), and Shannon Clendaniel (12). Front row: Theresa Gadzala (12), Rachel Lawson (12), Jesse Schmidt (12), Josh Ohmann (9), Mike McGinley (12), Priscilla Santiago (11), Jamie Riek (12) and Miss Bluett.



Edison High School Women's Choir and Choral

Under the direction of Miss Michelle Bluett



Left: Top row: Jennifer Powers (11), Kanya Vallinger (9), Jennifer Westerhout (11), Lacey Taylor (11), Brandi Dodd (11), Nina Gazda (10), Kammi Warner (10), Jessica Covarrubias (10). Middle row: Angela Turley (11), Kim Garner (12), Richelle Yarrington (10), Jackie Snoder (9), Kellie Shearer (10), and Jessica Galati (11). Bottom row: Jennifer Self (12), Leanne Pierce (12), Samantha Tachik (9), Shannon Easton (9), Christina Ramos (9), Brianna Wood (9), Crystal Ramos (11), Yvonne Ortiz (10), Heather Clapp (10), and Miss Bluett.

Distributive Education Clubs of America

Below: Erica Stevens and Angie Monsivais show off their project.



Right: Tanya Leshner (10), Angie Monsivais (12), Erica Stevens (12), Tony Elliot (12), Crystal Cooper (12), Shannon White (12), Amber Hertauss (12), Joi Coubal (12), David Beck (10), Mr. Kincaid, Tim Pochron (11), Jackie Bolles (11), Brittaney Finchum (11), Tanya Moore (12), Brad Snodgrass (12), Angelo Karagiannakis (12), Wayne Hill (11), Jonathan Hursell (12), Angela Turley (11), Katie Redar (11), Angel Schwei (11), Shannon Beal (11), Melissa Rixie (12), Rachel McColly (11), Chris Bunnell (11), and Mike Vckov (11).

DECA



Left: Jeremy Rosenbaum (11), Brandon Knight (11), Wayne Hill (11), Tim Pochron (11), Erica Stevens (12), Angelo Karagiannakis (12), Angie Monsivais (12), Jillian Underwood (12), Tanya Moore (12), Amber Hertauss (12), Brittaney Finchum (11), Jackie Bolles (11), and Tony Elliot (12) in Indianapolis for DECA state after qualifying at district.

Juniors Betty Nickovich, Katie Redar, Jessica Galati, and Irene Artemis gather on their trip to Ohio to take a picture in the midst of the fun.



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Many: Top left to bottom right in photo, Juniors: Caroline Collins, Jessica Galati, Irene Artemis. Later: Taylor, Julie Banks, Angela Turley, Katie Redar, Shannon Reed, Angel Scherer, Monica Gutierrez, Katie Brennan, Chris Artemis and Betty Nickovich. Seniors Ericka Castillo and Trishella Castro.

Right: Jessica Galati (11)-Secretary
Katie Redar (11)-Treasurer
Betty Nickovich (11)-President
Ericka Castillo (12)-Vice president



French Club Officers



Top row: Mr. Dobrich; Bottom Row: Rachel McColly, Jesse Short, Erin Gier, Natalie McColly

French Club



Back row: Mike Vucov, Tricia Santos, Ryan Howell, Mike Willis, Nick McWhirter, and Josh Holland
Middle row: Jason Carson, Brandon Mills, Jamie Kania, Joline Banks, Irene Artemis, Betty Nickovich
Front row: Erin Gier, Rachel McColly, Jesse Short, Valerie Arnn, Natalie McColly



Mrs. French
Honor Society Adviser

Honor Society



Back Row: Mrs. French, Kristen Mantta, Angie Monsirais, Erica Stevens, Gary Ray, Brad Snodgrass, Cassie Ohmann, Crystal Cooper. Third Row: Sarah Woynaroski, Wendy Branson, Paul Redar, Carmille Caluag, Betty Nichovich, Irene Artemis, Jackie Bolles, Katie Mock. Second Row: Chris Bunnel, Roxzanne Hamilton, Rachel Lawson, Angelo Karagiannakis, Sandy Hampton (President), Lora Andrews, Jennifer Westerhout. Front Row: Brittaney Finchum, Kristina Percell, Heather Choate, Teresa Gadzala, Tiffany Owens (Secretary), Shannon Clendaniel, Jesse Schmidt. Not Pictured: Jillian Underwood (Treasurer), Patricia Fields.

Career Center

Below: Bobby Algier (12), Brian Wise (11), Joe Krieder (11), Billy Garner (11), Eddie Haviza (12), Dan Wasowicz (12), Corey Bolton (12), Lily Gonzalez (11), Casey Bradley (11), Aleasha Martinez (11), Matt Cerros (11), Candy Powers (12), Kristin Warner (12), Julie Castillo (11), and Kelly Brannon (11). Afternoon Career Center students not pictured.



"It's a different place to go with different people to meet."

-Lily Gonzalez (11)



"I like that the different people treat us more like adults and I get to be on the radio."

-Casey Bradley (11)



"The education is the best part of the career center."

-Josh Dick (11)

Right: Christina Palumbo (10), Andrea Szostek, Carmille Caluag (11), Paul Goldsmith (11), Betty Nickovich (11), Matt Troutman 910, Jessica Galati (11), Naziha Ibrahim (11), Mrs. Pappas, Crystal Ramos (11), and Lupe Ortiz(10), on their trip to Ball State this past fall.



Eagle Feathers Newspaper Staff

Right: Jerry Hamilton (12), Matt Troutman (10), Paul Goldsmith (11), Christina Palumbo (10), Betty Nickovich (10), Jessica Galati (11), Naziha Ibrahim (11), Lupe Ortiz (10), Andrea Szostek (10), Carmille Caluag (11), Mrs. Pappas, Irene Artemis (11), and Patty Fields (11).



Mrs. Pappas, Carmille Caluag (11), Jerry Hamilton (12), and Paul Goldsmith.

Advisor and Editors

Senior Jerry Hamilton was the assistant editor to junior Paul Goldsmith, Editor-in-Chief the first semester of the year. Carmille Caluag then stepped up to be Editor and Irene Artemis took an editor's position as well as Betty Nickovich for the remainder of the year.

Peer Helpers

Not everyone can be a peer helper. The guidelines include: having a "C" average and currently not failing any subject, being a good role model, maintaining confidentiality, staying on task, and being able to make students feel comfortable. These students are also evaluated regularly.

The main duties of the peer helpers are to tutor and be an "ear" to students who need to talk to someone. According to Mrs. Gertz, one student who really did an excellent job this year was Lora Andrews. "Having experienced grief in her own life, she was able to extend herself in a special way, working diligently by lending her support to another student dealing with grief," commented Mrs. Gertz.

The students also worked with elementary students during Red Ribbon week, and worked with sixth grade scheduling and orientation. For the fifth grade students, they presented an anti-smoking program.



Above: Tiffany Owens and Jesse Schmidt show leadership qualities even at a picnic.

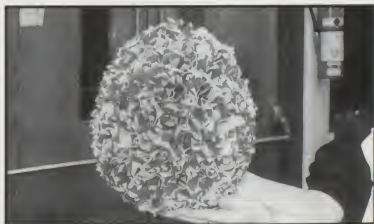
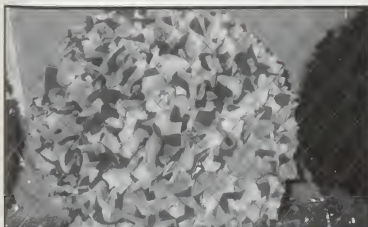


Top Row: Lora Andrews, Andrea Szostek, Teresa Gazala, Tiffany Owens, Rachel Lawson
Bottom Row: Kristina Purcell, Brittany Finchum, Katie Mock, and Angelo Karagiannakis
Not pictured: John Tsahas, Crystal Cooper, Jesse Schmidt, Wendy Branson, Paul Redar, and Myra Zepeda.

~Spanish Club~

Steve Alderson
 Frederick Barcenas
 Maria Carrillo
 Heather Choate
 Michelle Corral
 Nicole Coundiff
 Jessica Covarrubis
 Amanda Ellis
 Pat Fields
 Norma Fierro
 Brittaney Finchum
 Lilly Gonzalez
 George Grigonis
 Monica Gutierrez
 Daniel Guzman
 David Guzman
 Sandra Hampton
 Jill Haussman
 Ashley Hawkins
 Jean Hawkins
 Brandon Hursell
 Andrew Hurtado
 Hala Ibrahim
 Orlando Irizarry
 Tonya Leshner
 Dawn Lopez
 Gaby Loza
 Berenice Madrigal
 Evelia Madrigal
 Kristin Mantita
 Stephanie Mantita
 Kristi McWhirter
 Lucy Melendez
 Stephanie Mendez

Jeremy Milbrandt
 Bobby Minder
 Angela Monsivais
 Tony Morrison
 Amanda Nauta
 Amy Nauta
 Yvonne Ortiz
 John Palumbo
 Michael Palumbo
 Bethany Poweska
 Valerie Pomales
 Jonda Raley
 Fernando Ramirez
 Jacob Ramos
 Gary Ray
 Shannon Ray
 Chris Redar
 Patrick Santana
 Jennifer Stearns
 Angela Suarez
 Shelley Tarnowski
 Lacey Taylor
 Angela Turley
 Kammie Warner
 Brian Yanez
 Adrianne Yanez





Left: Tim Pochron, Anger Karagiannakis, and Nick McWhirter get ready to deliver a food basket to the annual Student Council Christmas food drive.

Upper left corner: Katie Mock, Tara Rollo, Jackie Bolles, and Lora Andrews mingle at the first Student Council meeting of the year held annually at the Dunes State Park in Chesterton.



Immediate left: Michael McGinley takes advantage of pajama day during spirit week which is set up and sponsored by the Student Council to help boost school spirit for the fall sports season.



Above: Jeff Johnson, Mike McGinley, The Grim Reaper (Tim Pochron), Jason Caine, and John Palumbo roamed the classrooms "killing" people to try and show people the end result of drug and alcohol use during red ribbon week.

Right: Attendance secretary Jonathan Hursell (12), treasurer Paul Redar (12), second secretary Rachel Lawson (12), secretary Valerie Pomaes (12), president Tiffany Owens (12), first vice president Jesse Schmidt (12), historian Lindsay Kincaid (10), parliamentarian Brad Snodgrass (12), and executive assistant Lora Andrews (12).



Far right: Mrs. Plotner,
Student Council sponsor who
is, "greatly appreciated and
works hard for this school."

-Nicole Porras (11)

COUNCIL



Treasure!

Unlock the Memories

Sophomores Lora Andrews, Valerie Arnn, Wendy Branson, Jason Caine, Ericka Castillo, Heather Choate, Shannon Clendaniel, Crystal Cooper, Michelle Corral, Joi Coubal, Amanda Ellis, Trinidad Escoto, Teresa Gadzala, Meredith Glatzbach, Roxanne Hamilton, Sandy Hampton, Eddie Haviza, Amber Hertaus, Josh Holland, Jonathan Hursell, Tatiana Hurtado, Angelo Karagiannakis, Rachel Lawson, Natalie McColly, Mike McGinley, Nick McWhirter, Lucy Melendez, Bobby Minder, Angie Monsivais, Tanya Moore, Tiffany Owens, John Palumbo, Kristina Purcell, Paul Redar, Heather Richmond, Greg Roberts, Nick Roper, Tricia Santos, Jesse Schmidt, Brad Snodgrass, Erica Stevens, Matt Swider, John Tshahs, Jillian Underwood, Shannon White, Lisha Willis, Sarah Woynaroski, and Heather Wright. Juniors Joline Banks, Jackie Bolles, Chris Bunnell, Brandi Dodd, Brittaney Finchum, David Guzman, Jill Haussman, Wayne Hill, Naciha Ibrahim, Lino Jackson, Jeff Johnson, Tara Leshar, Kristin Mantta, Rachel McColly, Stephanie Mendez, Jeremy Milbrandt, Katie Mock, Tony Morrison, Cassie Ohmann, Christina Orr, Mike Palumbo, Tim Pochron, Nicole Porras, Gary Ray, Chris Redar, Katie Redar, Tara Rollo, and Angela Turley. Sophomores David Beck, Jason Carson, Dan Guzman, Andy Hurtado, Lindsay Kincaid, Stephanie Mantta, Kristi McWhirter, Christina Palumbo, Shannon Ray, Jesse Short, Maria Suarez, Andrea Szostek, Tim White, Amy Woynaroski, and Richelle Yarrington. Freshmen Sandy Bolles, Shannon Easton, Crystal Green, Carolyn Gunter, Juanita Hampton, Douglas Hritz, Randi Janis, Tony Littell, Jeanette Mendez, Josh Ohmann, Nathan Rivera, Jackie Snoder, Samantha Tachik, Jennifer Taylor, Shelby Wydmon, and Adrienne Yanez.



YEARBOOK STAFF

ARE YOUR PAGES DONE!

JEREMY!

GET OUT OF MY FACE!

ANGEL!

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SHUT UP!

AMY!



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SHANACY!

BRANDI!

KRISTINA!

DO SOME WORK!

NICK!

CAN WE LEAVE YET!

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TAC CLUB



Back row: Pedro DeJesus, Gaby Lopez, Lupe Ortiz, Bernice Madrigal, Norma Fierro, Trinidad Escoto, Tanya Downen, Jill Hausman.
Third row: Mr. Krieger, Erin Geier, Jesse Short, Justin Holland, Jeremy Milbrandt, Dan Hoskins, Erick Castillo, Amanda Nauta, Mr. Salomon.
Second row: Angel Sandefur, Joi Coubal, Shannon White, Erica Stevens, Crystal Cooper, Nick Roper, Shannon Clendaniel.
First row: Matt Troutman, Priscila Santiago, Jamie Riek, Andrea Szostek, Richelle Yarrington, and Roxzanne Hamilton.



Nicole Coundiff and Maria Suarez stopped to take a lovely picture in the woods.



Don't they look cute. It's the Great American White Water Rafting Team!



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Homecoming Court

Below: Homecoming King and Queen
Josh Holland and Amanda Ellis.



Above: Tatiana Hurtado, Jillian Underwood, Michelle Corral, Homecoming Queen Amanda Ellis, Sarah Woynaroski, and Shannon Clendaniel.



Below: Sarah Woynaroski escorted by her boyfriend Dale Ginter.



Above: Jillian Underwood escorted by her father Wendell Underwood.



Above: Michelle Corral escorted by her father Mr. Corral.

Below: Shannon Clendaniel escorted by her father Dave Clendaniel.



Above: Amanda Ellis escorted by her father Bob Ellis and her brother Nathan Ellis.

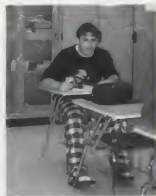
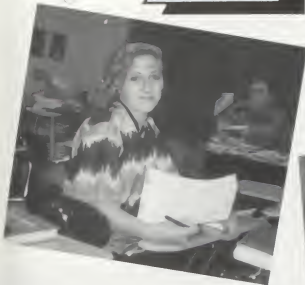


Spirit Week





Spirit Week



'98 Pep Session

This year's Homecoming King, Josh Holland, was crowned at the 1998 Homecoming Pep Session. Other candidates included were: Bobby Minder, Nick Roper, John Tsahas, Nick McWhirter, and John Pumbo. The king was chosen by a vote of the entire student body.



Left: Candidates from left to right Bobby Minder, Nick Roper, John Tsahas, Josh Holland (King), Nick McWhirter, and John Palumbo.

Below: Students cheer as Angelo Karagiannakis gives the opening speech at the 1998 pep session.



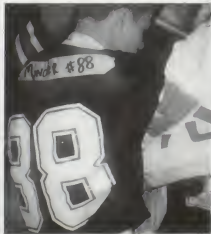
Right: The freshmen class looks very excited to be at the pep session.



Below: Miss Goza crowning Josh Holland as his teammates congratulate him.



Below: Senior Bobby Minder tearing down the Junior flag.



Below: The team congratulates Josh Holland with a boost.



Homecoming Game

Right: Senior John Hursell gets a reception for extra yardage.



Below: Senior Nick Mcwhirter is injured after sacrificing his body for the team.



To the Right: Senior Ernie Cochran gets himself psyched up for the big Homecoming game against Hammond Clark.



Left: Last year's homecoming queen Rhonda Rokicki is giving the crown to this years '99 homecoming queen Amanda Ellis.

Class

Floats



Left: Senior Class float "Peter Pan" received first place at this year's Homecoming competitions. Their float this year was so well planned that they went as far as having blueprints!

Right: Junior Class float "The Old Eagle Who Lived in a Shoe" received a third place at this year's Homecoming competitions. The juniors worked with wood, paint, paper mache, and fiberglass intended for car repair!



Right: The Sophomore Class float "Puff the Magic Dragon" received fourth place at this year's Homecoming competitions. It consisted of a ton of paper mache and lots of paint. They even had dried ice to make it seem like there was smoke coming out of his mouth.



Left: Freshmen Class float "Humpty Dumpty" received second place at this year's Homecoming competitions. Their float was moveable by the help of a young family member that could fit into the "brick wall."

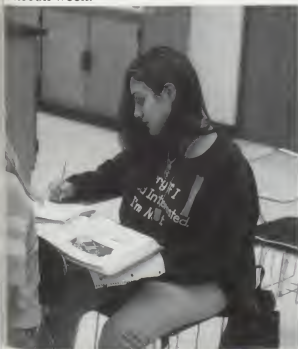
Red Ribbon Week



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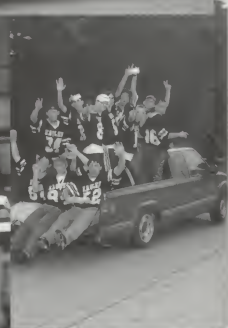
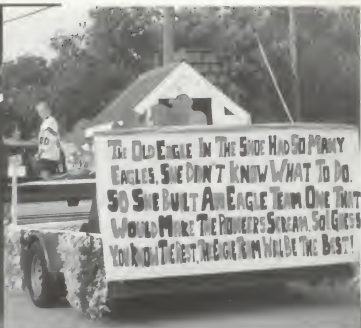
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Below: Bernice Madrigal shows her support for
red ribbon week.



Right:
Jeff
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Homecoming Collage

1999 Valentine's Dance "From this Moment"



*Left :
Valentine
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queen,
J o h n
P a l u m b o
and T i f f a n y
O w e n s
pose for a
q u i c k
p i c t u r e .*

*Below: Gary Ray and Jackie
Bolles danced the night away.*



*Right: Tara Rollo and Wayne Hill
having a great time at the dance.*



Last year tears were shed by the class of 99 when they thought the prom would be their last chance to sponsor a dance. However, this year tradition was broke at the Sweetheart Dance when the seniors were sponsors instead of the FBLA club.



*Right: Nicky Porras and Jeff
Johnson share a romantic
moment together.*

Lip Sync "99"



In Second place Creed, including Tim Pochron (11), Jason Caine(12), Angelo Karagiannaskis (12), and Ronnie George (10).



In third place was the high school's Spice Girls, including Christina Orr(11), Tam Lescher(11), Wend Branson(12), Sarah Woyonaroski(12), and Britt Cochran(12).



The BackStreet Boys received first prize in the Lip Sync. The band included Mike McGinley(12), Andy Hurtado(12), Fernando Ramirez(12), Jason Caine(12).



In fourth place was Metallica, which included Tim Pochron(11), Angelo Karaginakis(12), Jason Caine(12), and Ronny George(10).



Fifth place went to the junior high Spice Girls including Angela Littell (8), Amanda Littell(8), Bianca Plesha (8), and Michelle Miranda(8).

South Pacific



Irene Artemis smiles for a preplay picture as Bloody Mary.



Jesse Schmidt(Emile de Beque) shown in a stage scene with Racheal Lawson(Mrs. Forebush).



"It's one big happy family," as the crew gathers together for a hug with Jesse Schmidt (Emile de Beque) Paul Klimeck(Sailor).

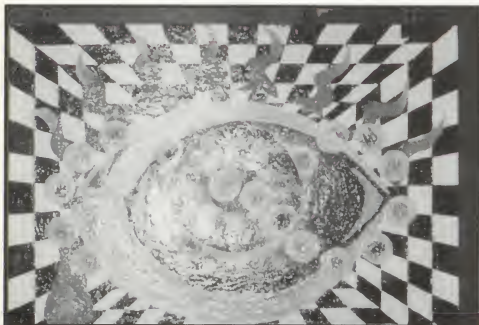


Naziha Ibrahim (Bloody Mary's Assistant) cuddling with another member of the crew.



Irene Artemis (Bloody Mary), Josh Ohmann (Stewpot), Teresa Gadzala (Bloody Mary's daughter), and Wayne Hill (Stage Crew), take an after play shot as Paul Klimek (Sailor) tries to sneak in.

Art Show '99



Congratulations to
Sophomore Matt Troutman
the cover design winner.

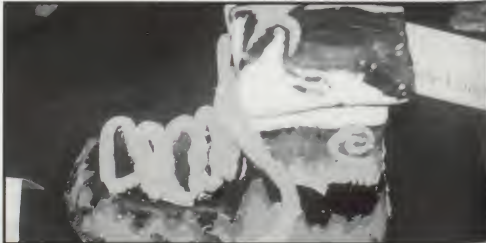
\$25.00 winner.



Each art student had the opportunity to vote for
their favorite. There were 75 student entries.



Clockwise: Starting above: The best high school art work done
by Tara Rollo. It's really nice isn't it? Matt Troutman's winning
cover design. Isn't it great? The best of show painting, by Danielle
Underwood. Mrs. Georgion explains what freshman Bobby
Imhausen is suppose to do. The best high school piece done by
Tara Rollo. Is that the "Old Lady's Shoe."





Edison's finest
at their best



SENIOR SOVEREIGNTY

Best Smile

Amber Hertaus
and Nick Roper



Biggest Flirts

Nick Roper and
Tricia Santos



Friendliest

Angelo
Karagiannakis
and Tiffany
Owens



Most Likely to Be Found in a Thrift Store

Trinidad Escoto
and not-pictured
Dennis Kerns



Most Likely to Succeed

Jesse Schmidt
and Lora
Andrews



Most Likely to be Found on the Pay Phone

Dawn Lopez
and Fernando
Ramirez



Most Likely to Become a Talk Show Host

Roxzanne
Hamilton and
Nick Roper



Class CLOWNS

Nick Roper and
Shannon White



Best Dressed

Jillian
Underwood and
Josh Holland



Best Personality

Amanda Nauta,
Tiffany Owens,
Theresa Gadzala,
and Bobby
Minder



Most Adventurous

Crystal Cooper
and Nick
McWhirter



Most School Spirit

Jillian
Underwood and
Brad Snodgrass



Most Athletic

John Tsahas and
Crystal Cooper



Most Musical

Valerie Arnn and
Mike McGinley



Most Likely to be Found in the Halls

Meredith
Glotzbach and
Nick McWhirter



Most Likely to be Famous

Jesse Schmidt
and Shannon
Clendaniel



SENIOR SOVEREIGNTY

Most Likely to be a Jerry Springer Guest

LeAnne Pierce
and Jerry
Hamilton



Teacher's Pet

Angelo
Karagiannakis
and Erica Stevens



Biggest Story Teller

Angel Sandefur



Most Likely to be Late to Graduation

Amanda Ellis,
Nick McWhirter
and Angie
Monsivais



Most Artistic

Lisha Willis and
Greg Roberts



Most Individuality

Heather Wright
and not-pictured
Dennis Kerns



Most Likely to be Caught Looking in the Mirror

Rachel Lawson
and not-pictured
Ernie Cochran



CONGRATULATIONS

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Left: Senior Class sponsor Miss Goza shares her fashion secrets with the world in support of the class of '99.



Above: (Left to right) Top row: Vice president Sarah Woynaroski, President Shannon Clendaniel, Parliamentarian Heather Choate. Middle row: Secretary Heather Richmond, Treasurer Crystal Cooper, Girls' Representative, Amber Hertaus. Bottom row: Boys' Representative Nick McWhirter.



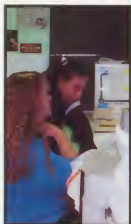
Senior Group Photo



Below: During Mr. Hepp's Body Conditioning class, Sandra Hampton and Heather Choate get into shape by doing aerobics.



Below: Dawn Lopez helps Amanda Nauta work on her pages for the first deadline for the yearbook.



Above: Miss Tsahas' 7th hour advanced English class works on their rough draft, writing about someone special in their life.

Right: Brian Yanez and Roy Haviza pretend to be doing their work during Mr. Ayers' computer class.



Joel Aceves



Luis Agront



Susana Alvarez



Lora Andrews



Valerie Arnn



Corey Bolton



Wendy Branson



Jason Caine



Marie Carrillo

Senior Info

Joel Aceves

Luis Agront

Susana Alvarez

Student Council 10, Spanish Club 9-11
Spanish Club Secretary 11, Yearbook 11.

Lora Andrews

Student Council 9-12, Student Council officer 10-12, FBLA 10, National Honor Society 10-12, French Club 9-11, Literary Magazine 9, Academic Superbowl 9-12, Spellbowl 9-12, Jets team 10-12, Choir 9-10, Peer Helper 11-12, Tennis 9-12, Cross Country 11-12, Varsity Boys' Basketball Statistician 10-12. Favorite person and why: My mom she taught me a lot about life and was an awesome person.

Valerie Arnn

Corey Bolton

Wendy Branson

French Club 9-11, French Club President 11, National Honor Society 10-12, Student Council 9, 11-12, TAC 11, Spell Bowl Team 10-12, Super Bowl Team 10-12, Cheerleading 9 and 12, Varsity Tennis 9-12, J.V. Basketball 9, Varsity Basketball 10.

Jason Caine

Marie Carrillo

'99 Senior Class

Below: Ed Goodman, a new student this year, stops and takes a picture in Mrs. Hoffman's Introduction to Business class.



Above: Natalie McColly and Valerie Arnn work very hard doing research for their term papers, while Matthew Swider takes a nap instead of working hard like the rest of the class.



Ericka Castillo

Heather Choate

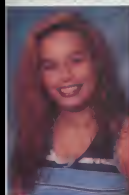
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Justin Click

Ernest Cochran

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Michelle Corral

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Pedro Cruz

Ericka Castillo

Justin Click

Heather Choate

Football 11-12

Ernest Gerald Cochran

Shannon Clendaniel

TAC 10-12, Deca 12, National Honor Society 11-12, French Club 9-11, Vice President 11-12, Vice President of French Club, Senior class Treasurer, Student Council 9-12, Track 9, Softball 10-12, Basketball 9-12, Cross Country 9-12, Statistician 11,

Crystal Cooper

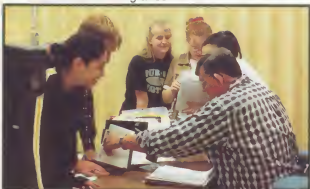
Michelle Corral
Student Council 9-12, Spanish Club 9-12.

Joi Marie Coubal
Student Council, TAC, Volleyball, Favorite teacher and why: Mr. Cosgrove he teaches so much, and he is funny.

Pedro Cruz

Senior Info

Mr. Cosgrove's 7th hour government class, stands around his desk to check their grades.



Below: Shelley Tarnowski tries to study in Mr. Zeharalis' biology class, during 7th hour.



Above: Crystal Cooper grades papers for Miss Jarmula's 7th hour history class.

Right: Seniors Joe Taylor and Tony Elliot are playing a game of basketball in the junior high gym.



Tony Elliott



Amanda Ellis



Trinidad Escoto



Teresa Gadzala



Kimberly Garner



Meredith Glotzbach



Senior Info

Tony Elliott

DECA 11-12. Favorite Teacher: Mr. Hayes because he teaches you things you can't learn in books, but what you learn in people.

Amanda Ellis

Trinidad Escoto

FBLA 10-12, Student Council 9-12. Favorite Teacher: Mrs. Pappas, she didn't try to be my friend until I showed her that I could understand what she taught me.

Teresa Lynn Gadzala

Honor Society 11-12, Student Council 9-12, Pep Band 9-12, French Club 9-12, DECA-11, Choir-12, Academic Super Bowl-12, Academic Spell Bowl-12, and Peer Helper 11-12. Favorite Teacher: Mr. Cosgrove.

Kimberly Gail Garner

Choir 9-12, DECA-11, Student Council-9, Yearbook-11, Yearbook Editor-12, Track 9-11, Cross Country-9. Favorite Teacher: Mr. Cosgrove because he teaches things that we will learn in the real world; he also makes me laugh.

Meredith Glotzbach

Volleyball 9-12, Student Council 11-12, Spanish Club 9-11, Yearbook 11-12. Favorite Teacher: Mrs. Georgion, she's more of a friend to me, than she is a teacher.

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NO
PHOTO



Daniel Gonzalez



Clinton Grigsby

Jerry Hamilton



Above: Nick McWhirter and Meredith Glotzbach take time out to take a quick picture.



Roxzanne Hamilton



Sandra Hampton



Alan Hartford



Eddie Haviza



David Heridia



Amber Hertaus



Left: Tricia Santos and Tatiana Hurtado get together for one last picture before the end of the school year.

Senior Info

Daniel Gonzalez

Roxzanne Hamilton

Edward Roy Haviza

Clinton Grigsby

Sandra Hampton

David Heridia

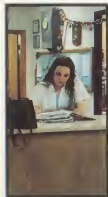
Jerry Hamilton

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Isn't that cute! Senior Pete Cruz showing some love for our Dean of Students, Mr. LoCascio.

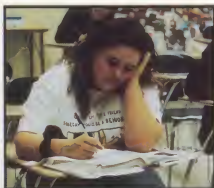


Teresa Gadzala caught catching up on her homework.



Senior Mayra Zepeda stops for a moment on her way to class to take a picture for the yearbook.

Senior Tonya Moore found working hard in Mr. Saloman's class.



Joshua Holland



Julie Huddleston



Jonathan Hursel



Tatiana Hurtado



Brian Johnson



Justin Johnson



Crystal Jones



Amy Kaiser



Angeelo Karagiannakis

Senior Info

Joshua Holland

Student Council (9-12),
French Club (10-11), Superbowl Team(12),
DECA (11), Band (9-12), Track (11).

Julie Huddleston

DECA, Student Council, JETS Team, Football, Basketball, Baseball.

Jonathan Hursel

Student Council (9-12), Band (9-12), Football (9-12).
Favorite Teacher/Why: Mr. Cosgrove because he makes me laugh.

Tatiana Hurtado

Brian Johnson

Justin Johnson

Crystal Jones

Amy Kaiser

Football Manager (11)
Favorite Teacher/Why: Mr. Cosgrove because he always made someone feel better when they are sad.

Angeelo Karagiannakis

Spanish Club (9-11), Student Council (10-12), Honor Society (11-12), DECA (11-12), Football (9,11,12), Baseball (9-12), Wrestling (10,12).

'99 Senior Class



Dennis Kerns



Rachel Lawson



Dale Lindsey



Dawn Lopez



Natalie McColly



Jessica McDaniel



Senior, Natalie McColly caught running an errand for Mrs. J.



Here is a glimpse of seniors Kim Garner and Amy Kaiser working hard to make posters for year-book class.



Heather Choate was found performing in Mrs. Tsahas's play.



Crystal Jones, John Palumbo, and Redar are helping Mrs. Randolph in an egg dropping experiment.

Senior Info

Dennis Kerns

Student Council (9-12), Honor Society (3yrs.), Choir (9-12), Cheerleading (3 yrs.),.

Dale Lindsey

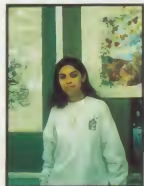
Rachel Lawson

Student Council (12), DECA (11), Band (9-12). Favorite Teacher/Why? Mr. Kincaid, even though he kicked me out of his class, I still respect that he pushed us to do our best.

Natalie McColly

Student Council (10). Favorite Teacher? Mr. Krieger because he keeps you in line.

Jessica McDaniel



Suzanna Alvarez takes time to pose for a picture.

Below: Tonya Moore is trying to figure out how to do her assignment.

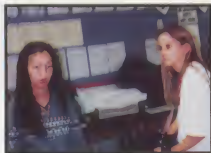


Below: Shannnon Clendaniel is showing Jerry Hamilton her candle.



Above: Kristina Purcell and Angie Monsivais take time out of their schedules to pose for the camera.

Right: Dawn Lopez and Meredith Glotzbach are having a discussion with Mrs. Peele, the yearbook teacher.



Michael McGinley



Nicholas McWhirter



Robert Minder



Angela Monsivais



Tanya Moore



Amanda Nauta



Tiffany Owens



John Palumbo

Senior Info

Michael McGinley

Band 9-12, Choir 11-12, Varsity Football 10-12, Varsity Baseball-4 yrs, Freshmen Basketball-1yr, and JV Basketball-1yr. Favorite Teacher: Mr. Cosgrove because he tells us cool things and he's very funny.

Nicholas McWhirter

Student Council-4yrs, French Club-2yrs, Football -4yrs, Track -2yrs, Basketball-1yr, Favorite Teacher: Mr Cosgrove, because he makes class fun and also teaches us very important things that we will need in the future.

Luciana Melendez

Student Council 9-12, FBLa 9-10, Spanish Club 9-

10,12, Spanish Club President, Pep Club-11, Track 9, Cross Country-Favorite Teacher: Mr. Cosgrove because he takes the time out to talk to students and he shows that he cares; he's not fake.

Robert Minder

Angela Monsivais

DECA 11-12, Student Council 9-12, Spanish Club 9-12, Spanish Club Treasurer-11, Spanish Club Vice President-12, Band 9-12, National Honor Society 11-12, Class Treasurer -11. Favorite Teacher: Mr. Kincaid, because he is one teacher who makes us work and he also teaches us alot in his class.

Tanya Moore

IHS, Student Council, Spanish Club. Softball, Track,

Volleyball, Basketball, DECA Favorite Teacher: Mrs. Randolph, she has always been there when I need help.

Amanda Nauta

Band 9-10, FBLa-11, Spanish Club-11, Student Council-10, DECA-11, TAC-12. Favorite Teacher: Mr. Cosgrove because, he's very friendly with all his students and very helpful. I Love You Cosgrove, Love NaNa.

Tiffany Owens

Student Council 9-12, Student Council Parliamentarian-11, Student Council President-12, French Club 9-11, Band 9-11, Favorite Teacher: Mr. Cosgrove because he knows everything and he's funny.

John Palumbo



Leann Pierce



Valerie Pomaless



Candy Powers



Kristina Purcell



Jonda Raley



Steven Ralston



Fernando Ramirez



Paul Redar



Heather Richmond

Leann Pierce

FBLA-11, Student Council 9-11, French Club -10, Cheerleader-11, Football Manager-9-12, Trainer-10, Track-9

Valerie Pomaless

Student Council 9-10, Spanish Club 11-12, FBLA-12, Band 9-12, Favorite Teacher: Mr. Levenda, because when I had him in 10th grade he showed me how to be myself and not to let anyone discourage me. He let me know that I can be whatever I wanted to be no matter what, just as long as I put my mind to it.

Candy Powers

Favorite Teacher: Mr. Cosgrove because he's always here for us.

Kristina Purcell

Student Council 9-12, Honor Society 11-12, Band 9-11, French Club 9-10, 12, Academic Superbowl -12, Pep Band 9-11, Peer Helper -11, Golf -12. Favorite Teacher: Mr. Cosgrove.

Jonda Raley

DECA 10-12, TAC 11-12, FBLA -10, Spanish Club 9-12, Student Council 9-10. Favorite Teacher: Mr. Cosgrove because he always makes me laugh even when I'm in a bad mood or upset.

Steven Ralston

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Below: Heather Wright and Lora Andrews are having a little discussion in the lunch room.



Below: Jonda Raley and Angel Sandefur are working on a project in the library.



Senior Info

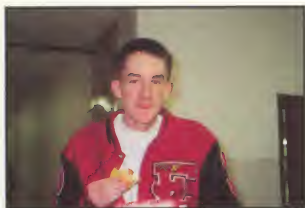
Fernando Ramirez

Paul Redar

Honor Society, Student Council-Treasurer, Baseball, Bowling.

Heather Richmond

Student Council, French Club, Cheerleading, Track. Favorite Teacher: Cosgrove because he cares and tries his best to understand us. His jokes are funny.



Brad Snodgrass is "woofing down" a hotdog after he returns from his daily routine of mail delivery.



Pete Cruz sneaks away from body conditioning class to talk on the phone.



Sandy Hampton and Heather Choate are filling Christmas baskets for the needy.

Roxzanne Hamilton strikes a pose for the camera in the band room.



Jamie Rieck



Melissa Rixie



Gregory Roberts



Nick Roper



Angel Sandefur



Tricia Santos



Jesse Schmidt



Amanda Shannon



Brad Snodgrass

Senior Info

Jamie Rieck

Melissa Rixie

DECA-12, Her favorite teacher is Cosgrove. He always cheered her up.

Gregory Roberts

Student Council, His favorite teacher is Mr. Loscaro because he likes the way he taught.

Nick Roper

Angel Sandefur

Student Council 9-12, DECA 10-11, Spanish Club 10, TAC Club 12, Track 9-12, Cross-Country 10-11.

Tricia Santos

Jesse Schmidt

Amanda Shannon

Softball 9-10, Basketball 9-11, She likes Karate and Mr. Cosgrove is her favorite teacher because he makes her laugh.

Brad Snodgrass

DECA 11-12, Student Council 9-12, Tennis 10-12, Baseball 10-12, Basketball 9th & 12th, Student Council Parliamentarian-12, Boys' Class Representative.

'99 Senior Class



Erica Stevens

Jessica Stivanson

Mathew Swider



Justin Click and Greg Roberts are preparing for the Homecoming parade by showing off Justin's big engine.

Shelley Tarnowski

Joe Taylor

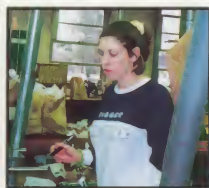
John Tsahas



The seniors get together for a big family picture. Awhhh don't they look cute.



Laura Andrews lends a helping hand at the food drive.



Student Council President Tiffany Owens is helping out with the school's food drive.

Senior Info

Erica Stevens

Jessica Stivanson

Student Council (9-12), Honor Society (3yrs.), Choir (9-12), Cheerleading (3 yrs.)

Mathew Swider

Shelley Tarnowski

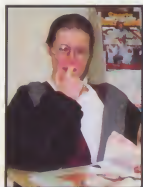
Joe Taylor

Student Council (12), DECA (11), Band (9-12) Favorite Teacher/Why?

Mr. Kincaid, even though he kicked me out of his class, I still respect that he pushed us to do our best.

John Tsahas

Student Council (10) Favorite Teacher? Mr. Krieger because he keeps you in line.



Jennifer Self is thinking hard about her assignment.



Brad Snodgrass caught being a delivery boy in front of the office.



Jonda found in the library as cheerful as ever.



Jennifer, Kim, and Leann preparing for the Christmas band concert.



Kristina and Angie pose for a picture on the floor.



Jillian Underwood



Frederick Verhs



Kristin Warner



Daniel Wasowicz



Shannon White



Brian Williams



Lisha Willis



Sarah Woynaroski



Heather Wright

Senior Info

Jillian Underwood

Student Council 9-12, Honor Society 10-12, DECA 11-12, Band 9-12, French Club 9 & 10 & 12, Flag 9.

Frederick Verhs

Kristin Warner

Spanish Club 9 & 10, Student Council 9. Her favorite teacher is Mr. Cosgrove because he can relate to us.

Daniel Wasowicz

VICA, for Auto Body. His favorite teachers are Mr. Cosgrove & Mr. Levenda because they are funny and because they are in this school to teach us well.

Shannon White

DECA 11-12, Student Council 10-12, TAC 12, Basketball 10, Track 10.

Brian Williams

Lisha Willis

Spanish Club 9-11, Student Council 10-12, Volleyball 9-12.

Sarah Woynaroski

Heather Wright

Student Council 9-12, French Club 10-11, Band 9-12, Choral 12, Cheerleading 9&11-12, Softball 9-10, Bowling 4 years.



Brian Yanez



Mayra Zepeda



Ernie is in the weight room showing off his brauns instead of brains.

Senior Class



Crystal Jones found lending a helping hand to an underclassman in Miss Goza's classroom.



Sarah and Teresa helping out with the cheerleading fundraiser.



Jason is found sleeping in class.



Dawn and Meredith dueling over Mrs. Georgion's candy.

Senior Info

Brian Yanez

Mayra Zepeda

Spanish Club 11-12, TAC 12, Her favorite teacher is Mr. Krieger because he has a positive attitude for everything.



Brian Williams working hard as usual to get in shape for wrestling.



Rachel is working on some homework in the guidance office.

Memorial



Mr. Loscaro

Nobody could wait to have one of Mr. Loscaro's classes. He taught history, sociology, psychology, and was the golf coach. He was going to retire this year, after dedicating 30 years of his life to what he loved most, teaching.

Had things worked out for Mr. Loscaro he would have gone to Florida in May. He was also planning to work at a golf club after retiring. Unfortunately, Mr. Loscaro's life was cut short due to a heart attack on Friday, January 15. No one could believe it happened. He told everyone on Friday that he would see us on Monday and to have a good weekend. When we came back to school on Monday, the school felt so empty and quiet.

The things the people will remember most about Mr. Loscaro are: calling the Jr. High kids nose pickers, talking about the 3 stooges, assigning essay papers due on Friday, telling funny jokes, and trying to get the right answers on the channel one pop quizzes. He could always make a person laugh. A lot of people felt he was more of a friend than a teacher. If you got into a disagreement with him and he was right, you would never hear the end of it.

The people he adored most were his father, daughter, and his grandson. We send our condolences and prayers to the Loscaro family. May he rest in peace.

Written by: Meredith Glotzbach

PROM '99



Above: Cassie Ohmann proudly poses with her father.



Above: Paul Goldsmith hands Jessica Galati a flower during the "Grand March."



Above: Dawn Lopez and her date take a break from all the dancing.



Above: Kristen Mantta gives her father a hug for the camera.

Below: The arch is the place to dance through for everyone.



Left: Jeremy Rosenbaum offers his arm to Valerie Arnin.



Right: Brad Snodgrass in the process of offering congratulations.



Above: Junior class officers discuss the prom and congratulate the Seniors.



Above: Edison girls totally enjoying themselves.



Above: Sarah Woynaroski receives the crown as the new prom queen.



PROM '99



To the far left: Shown here is Patty Fields and her date Ted Stearns.



To the left: Meredith Glotzbach and Heather Wright are dancing up a storm.



Above: Tara Rollo and Wayne Hill are entering the prom in the "Grand March."



Above: Glen Morse and Amanda Shannon are having a romantic dance at prom.



Above: Back row: Nick McWhirter, John Tsahas, Nick Roper, and Brian Williams. Front row: Josh Holland, John Hursell, and Bobby Minder.



Above: Ericka Castillo gets down at prom!



Above: Sarah Woynaroski and Brad Snodgrass dance the royalty dance after being crowned king and queen of Prom '99.



Above: Lisha Willis is all smiles with alumnus Adrienne Vera.



Above: Amanda Ellis is caught by the camera while dancing and laughing with her boyfriend Brian.



Above: Friends join together to dance the night away at prom '99.



Above: Heather Richmond smiles with sophomore Andy Hurtado as her date.



Above: Brittaney Finchum pretty in pink with date Gary Ray.



Above: John Palumbo and Crystal Cooper sweetly smiled for the camera.



Above: Wendy Branson and Matt Swisher enjoy the "Grand March."

GRADUATION 1999

Right: Amanda Shannon is all smiles as she walks away with her diploma.



Left: The Class of 99 throws their caps just as tradition usually goes. However Edison has never allowed the throwing of the caps. Some rules are meant to be broken.



Above: Nick McWhirter waits patiently as the choir sings.



Above: Seniors Rachel Lawson, Sarah Woynaroski, Roxanne Hamilton, and Shannon Clendaniel performed "Graduation Song" as a quartet.



Left: Sarah Woynaroski hugs her friend Wendy Branson after handing her her rose which was her duty as senior class vice president.

Right: Lora Andrews gives her Valedictorian speech as some of her last words to Edison.

Below: The choir performs for their last time with the Class of '99 members.



Above: Seniors Jillian Underwood, Tatiana Hurtado, and Natalie McColly play a salute to their parents, Super Hits of the Seventies, as their last performance together.

Right: Nick Roper celebrates his accomplishments after receiving his diploma.

Below: Brian Williams walks away from the stage after receiving his diploma from Mr. Vanderlin.





*Lora
Andrews*



*Sandy
Hampton*

1999 Valedictorian

1999 Salutatorian



*Jesse
Schmidt*



*Sarah
Woynaroski*



*Heather
Choate*



*Paul
Redar*



*Wendy
Branson*



*Tiffany
Owens*



*Heather
Wright*



*Kristina
Purcell*

Academic Awards



Lora Andrews was this year's Valedictorian.




Receiving the Salutatorian award this year was Sandra Hampton.




Mr. Cosgrove is receiving his award as the "Outstanding Teacher of the Year."


Nina Gadza Benefit



Nina Gadza, a sophomore at Edison High School, was diagnosed with a rare form of Cancer. One of Nina's closest friends, Christina Palumbo, organized a benefit dinner on May 14, 1999. The dinner was held at Edison High School in the cafeteria. There was a very large turn out, better than expected. Many Edison students and teachers felt that going to the benefit was the least they could do for Nina. Dealing with Cancer is a very difficult and stressful ordeal. Hopefully, Nina was comforted by the amount of family and friends who attended her benefit.



We would like to thank Christina Palumbo, Miss Green, LeeDonna O'Dell, and all the sponsors that donated food and gifts.



Our thoughts and prayers are with Nina, as she battles this disease.

The Yearbook Staff



Left: Evelia Madrigal and Tonya Perez are talking in 7th hour body conditioning class.



Left: Seniors Roper, Jilva, Underwood, Angeli Kargiannakis and John Tsahas pose for a picture in the library.

Below: Freshman Rocky Jose Perez stopped looking through his papers to take a picture.



Right: Freshman Candy Bottila is working hard in French class.



Left: Elian Mercado is having a difficult time on the computer.

Right: We found Tony Morrison thinking really hard in class.



Below: Teachers Miss J and Miss Goza are goofing around for the camera.



Above: Justin Holland looks puzzled in Mrs. Hoffman's Intro to Business class.

This may be the end of the yearbook, but the memories will always remain with us. We the yearbook staff had many problems this year. We finally got the yearbook put together to show the many identities of the students and faculty for the memory that will last a lifetime. I would

like to thank Mrs. Georgion for the help she gave us, and a special thanks to our adviser Mrs. Peele, for being patient with us all year.

Angel Schwei



Above: Casey Bradly, Bobby Minder, and Mrs. Randolph pose for the camera.



Above: Jill Haussman, Miss Peggy, and Brandi Dodd pose for a picture.

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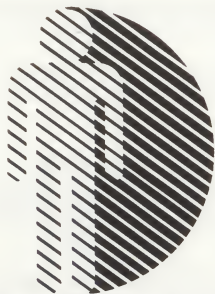
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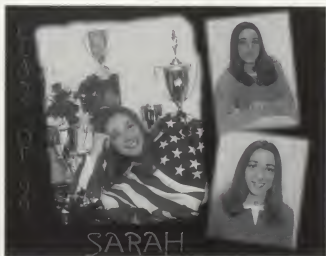




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•The 58th volume of the Edison High School Edisonian was published with the help of Valerie Tanke, Sales Representative of Walsworth Publishing Company, Inc., Marceline, Mo. The theme "What's Your Identity?" was chosen for several reasons. The various identities of Edison's students are an excellent example of the "melting pot" of our country and community. The students on the staff were also varied among females, males, freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. The identity of the adviser was also new as Mrs. Peele took over in place of Mrs. Georgion.

•The cover was designed at a workshop in Merrillville by Dawn Lopez, Amanda Nauta, Mrs. Peele and many valuable suggestions by Mrs. Georgion. One of her suggestions was quickly adopted keeping up with the past tradition of the yearbook, displaying the school colors of red and black at least once every four years. This was the year to honor tradition. Senior portraits, special event photos, and many club and group photos were taken by John Sykes Photography. Underclassmen pictures were taken by Indiana School Pictures. Various group and candid photos were taken by John Sykes and the yearbook staff.

•The yearbook staff went through many changes during the year. One of our greatest losses occurred when Paul Goldsmith left Edison after one semester. Paul worked hard to help the entire staff even on his last day. (Thanks Paul!) Editors and staff members were changed regularly as Mrs. Peele attempted to place the right people in the right places.

•The creation of this yearbook would never have been possible without the help of many people. We owe special thanks to :

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